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THE WEATHER
Rain early, overcast, colder today; Friday fair, colder; wind southwest
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BATTLE CONTINUES IN CHIHUAHUA CITY, REFUGEE REPORTS

First Foreigner to Escape to Texas Says Bandits Hold Only Part of Capital.

FLED AT 2 A. M. YESTERDAY

Cannon Firing Ceased Monday Morning and Troops Employ Small Arms Now.

EL PASO TROOPS ON GUARD

General Bell Takes Precautions on Reports That Bandits Are Near the Border.

EL PASO, Texas, Nov. 29.—The first foreign refugee to leave Chihuahua City since the siege began arrived here today. He reported that Villa and Julio Acosta were in control of part of the city when he escaped by automobile at 2 o'clock this morning. The man came by way of Villa Ahumada and Guadalupe.

Owing to the fact that he had been in hiding, he explained, he had no means of knowing first hand just what had happened, or even the whereabouts of General Trevino. Carranza forces were holding hard to their part of the city, and the refugee added that he understood all foreigners were safe.

Cannon firing ceased some time early Monday morning, but the small-arms firing continued through Monday and Tuesday, the refugee said. He admitted knowing nothing more about the military situation in the capital than the reports brought to him from time to time by servants and others who came to his home, which was near the home of General Trevino.

As he passed along the Villa Ahumada roads in his automobile late today the refugee saw 185 bandits at Los Tanques, about thirty miles southeast of Juarez. He said the column was moving in the general direction of Villa Ahumada, south of Juarez, and the men were all well armed, but he was not molested.

American Scouts Sent Out.

United States Army officers, stationed at Fabens, Texas, thirty-two miles southeast of here, and opposite Guadalupe, Chihuahua, were notified tonight and dispatched scouts to investigate the presence of bandits so near the border. The Juarez military officers also were notified.

As a precautionary measure additional troops were ordered down town from the fort and army camps tonight by General George Bell, Jr., artillery was held in readiness on the mesa, overlooking the city and Juarez, and an armored automobile was sent to the international bridge. The report of bandit operations in the vicinity of Juarez was believed to have been responsible for this military activity.

When he left Chihuahua City at 2 A. M. today the refugee said he could hear rifle shots in different parts of the city, but was not molested as he drove out. Only two men appeared on the street through which he drove, and neither of these challenged him.

The foreigner said he had heard of looting in the business section of the city, but had not certified this report. He stated that he had no way of ascertaining the whereabouts or safety of the other foreigners in the city as he did not dare to leave his home. However, he did not believe any foreign residents had been killed. He said little damage had been done to the city, as Villa had no cannon when he made the attack.

JUAREZ, Mexico, Nov. 29.—Officials here today said General Carlos Ozuna, who had a prominent part in the defense of Chihuahua City against attacks by Villa, had started from Sauz, north of the State capital, with reorganized forces to relieve the city.

General Francisco Gonzales, commanding the Carranza garrisons in Northern Chihuahua, arrived in Juarez tonight after a trip as far south as Sauz.

Want Pershing to Stay.

Mexican merchants who reached here Monday night from San Buenaventura and Namiquipa reported today that petitions were being circulated in the towns and settlements in the vicinity of the American expeditionary force's headquarters and outposts asking the United States Government not to withdraw the American troops now.

The merchants asserted Villa had made a threat against all who lived in Namiquipa, Guerrero, San Buenaventura, Casas Grandes, Colonia Dublan, Colonia Juarez, and the other towns in Western Chihuahua, saying he would kill all residents of these towns and burn their homes because they had aided the Americans.

CARRANZA GETS PROTOCOL.

Pani Delivers Atlantic City Agreement to First Chief.

Special to The New York Times.

QUERETARO, Mexico, Nov. 29.—The arrival here of Alberto Pani, Mexican delegate to the Atlantic City conference, caused excitement among officials tonight. Mr. Pani delivered the protocol to General Carranza immediately after his arrival. While contents are not known here, it is believed that Carranza will agree to terms permitting reciprocal pursuit of bandits, as this was the original contention of Mexicans after the Columbus raid.

Officials here feel certain of prompt arrangement of all difficulties between the two countries. General Carranza refused to make a statement before he had studied the protocol.

Rasmussen Sends No News.

Special Cable to THE NEW YORK TIMES.

COPENHAGEN, Nov. 29.—The Greenland ship Fox arrived here today. The Captain had no news from Knud Rasmussen and the Crocker Land expedition. The position of the auxiliary ship Denmark is not known, but the ship is supposed to lie near Thule. One more Greenland ship is expected this Winter—the Gothaab, now at Lerwick, but she is bringing no news about the American explorers.

Reports Russian Transports With Troops Sunk By Mine

BERLIN, Nov. 29, (by Wireless to Sayville, L. I.)—Two large Russian transports, bound from Helsingfore for Revel, were sunk in the latter part of October as the result, it is believed, of striking a mine, says a dispatch from Stockholm to the Overseas News Agency.

The transports, it is said, had the entire Four Hundred and Twenty-eighth Russian Regiment on board. This regiment, it is said, had been on duty for some time in Finland.

HENRY SIEGEL QUITS; EMPORIUM TO CLOSE

Blames Subway Blockade of Broadway and Landlord's Failure to Lay Sidewalks.

SAYS STORE IS SOLVENT

Postpones Hope of 15,000 Depositors in Fourteenth Street Store Bank for Reimbursement.

Henry Siegel's store, the Emporium, opened a few months ago at Broadway and Thirty-fifth Street, posted notices in its windows last night announcing that because of the condition of the sidewalks and consequent difficulty to patrons entering the premises, it had been decided to discontinue business and vacate. Simultaneously with the posting of the notice a statement giving more details of the closing was sent to newspapers.

Henry Siegel launched his new venture after his release from the Monroe County Penitentiary, where he served a sentence for making false statements for the purpose of obtaining credit. The statement received by THE NEW YORK TIMES concerning the closing of the Emporium follows:

The Emporium has concluded to terminate its business because of difficulties with its landlord, which have proved an insurmountable obstacle to the business. The disrupted condition of the street has practically marooned the premises. The landlord especially agreed in the lease to construct a permanent sidewalk, but week after week has failed to do so, permitting the condition to become worse instead of better, so that now it is practically impossible for people to get access to the premises. To vainly struggle to overcome a situation which it can in no way remedy would be to sacrifice the interests of the company to no purpose. The Emporium is absolutely solvent. It takes this action to terminate an inevitable loss arising from a condition beyond its control. While the rental has been paid for two months further, it will at once commence proceedings against the landlord for the damages caused by this breach of the lease.

George Tilonm, agent for the Johnson Building, in which Siegel's store is, said last night that he had not been informed of any trouble, and knew nothing of any threatened suit. Siegel was not found last night.

When Siegel announced last April his plan to re-enter business after his discharge from the penitentiary, he promised that all the money he should make over and above living expenses would be used to repay the 15,000 depositors who lost their small savings in his private banking establishment, Henry Siegel & Co., which was operated in conjunction with the Fourteenth Street Store.

It will be recalled that when he was convicted, Justice William A. Clarke of Livingston County, who presided at the trial held in Geneseo in November, 1914, suspended sentenced until the following June on the promise of Siegel to make restitution. Siegel did not make his promise good, and he served ten months and paid a fine of $1,000.

The Emporium Cloak and Suit Company was capitalized at $200,000 of preferred stock and 1,000 shares of common stock of no par value. Associated in the enterprise with Siegel were his brother, Frederick Siegel of Detroit, and several New York business men.

PROCLAIM CONQUEST AS GERMANY'S AIM

Organ of Industrial Magnates Demands Retention of French and Belgian Territory.

LONDON, Nov. 29.—The Rhenish and Westphalian Gazette, in an article on the principles of German peace, declares that the reconciliation of Germany and her Western enemies is impossible, according to an Amsterdam dispatch to Reuter's. The paper says that it believes Chancellor von Bethmann Hollweg recognizes this and adds:

"Our ultimate aim is to push through to the West and the ocean. Whatever offers resistance must be crushed."

Referring to the Balkans, The Gazette says: "What the victor gets he holds." In respect to the lost German colonies, The Gazette is quoted as saying:

"If we do not succeed in reconquering them, the French provinces are worth twice our colonies, and we will take our compensation out in France. Let us daily tell the French that every foot we conquer is ours. We need not waste words about Belgium. We need access to the Channel and we need Antwerp. Whoever wants Belgium may fetch it from us."

The Gazette concludes that England is more assailable than Russia, and that London can be destroyed more easily than Moscow because, it says, Moscow costs blood, and London only torpedoes.

"We have no fantastic dreams," are The Gazette's final words, "of conquering the world. German burgerdom is not yet ripe for mastering and governing a world empire. We neither can or will destroy the British Empire, but the minimum necessary for German peace is the complete beating down of France in the West and the prestige of the German flag on all the seas."

An Amsterdam dispatch to The Times refers to The Gazette's article as by far the most remarkable that has yet appeared in regard to German peace terms. The dispatch adds that The Gazette represents the industrial magnates who, as recent executive changes show, are making their influence increasingly felt."

Annexation is also advocated by Dr. Jaeger, a member of the Center Party in the Reichstag, who, writing in The Dusseldorf General-Anzeiger, insists that the German blood shed in Belgium since 1914 must not have been shed in vain.

"Belgium must be our guarantee," writes Dr. Jaeger, "for a good part of the war costs. We must retain permanently the Meuse line, with Liège and Namur. Part of old Luxemburg which has become Belgian can perhaps be ceded to the Grand Duchy."

After saying that the Walloons (French-speaking Belgians) might be ejected from their homes, Dr. Jaeger pronounced in favor of allowing the Belgian dynasty to remain. He declares, however, that the country must be brought politically, militarily and economically in closer relation to Germany.

DENY SCHIFF SPOKE FOR PEACE LEAGUE

Board of Management Adopts Resolutions to Correct Any "Misinterpretation."

TAFT ISSUES A STATEMENT

Declares Banker Voiced Only His Personal Views at Recent Hotel Astor Dinner.

ATTACK IN LONDON PRESS

Northcliffe Papers Accuse Schiff and Speyer of Intrigues in Germany's Behalf.

A denial that Jacob H. Schiff, in his speech at the League to Enforce Peace dinner last Friday, spoke for the League or reflected its views was made yesterday by the Board of Management of that organization. The Board met in executive session at the Yale Club, those present being: William H. Taft, the President; Alton B. Parker, Charles Stuart Davison, Judge William H. Wadhams, Theodore Marburg, George Munro Forrest, Talcott Williams, Herbert S. Houston, Hamilton Holt, Finley J. Shepard, John Bates Clark and William H. Short. Resolutions which had been adopted were made public after the meeting. They read:

The League to Enforce Peace, as it has frequently declared, is not a stop the war movement. It contemplates a league of nations to be set up after the present war.

We take this opportunity to declare that the league is committed only by its program and the authorized interpretation thereof, and not by the views expressed by individual members.

Later Mr. Taft issued the following statement:

"Because of the misinterpretation of the speech made last Friday night by Jacob H. Schiff the resolution was passed by the Committee of Management as representing the League to Enforce Peace. Mr. Schiff, who is prominent in the league, is strongly in favor of steps being taken to bring about peace in Europe, but those are his individual views and not those of the league. As a matter of fact, in an organization of this size there must be and are all sorts of views represented, but those views are purely individual so far as the league is concerned.

"From the beginning we have been careful to limit this movement to one the purpose of which is to bring about an agreement among the nations after the present war which we hope will make impossible other wars in the future.

"As to Mr. Schiff, he is one of the strongest and most valuable members, and the resolution adopted this afternoon in no wise reflects upon him. Furthermore, Mr. Schiff never intended to speak for the league when he expressed his convictions, and never had any idea that his remarks would be misinterpreted as expressive of the attitude of the league."

Mr. Taft said the committee had received no communication from Mr. Schiff, and none was either expected or called for, he added.

Mr. Taft also referred to the New York Branch, American Neutral Conference Committee, organized at a meeting in the Hotel Astor last Saturday for the stated purposes of arousing "the American public to a sense of what it may contribute toward stopping the war." This committee, Mr. Taft said, was in no way connected with the League to Enforce Peace, and, to, support this statement, he called upon Hamilton Holt, who is a member of the Neutral Conference Committee and also of the League to Enforce Peace, to bear him out.

"Mr. Taft," said Mr. Holt, "is absolutely right. The Conference Committee has absolutely no connection with the League to Enforce Peace."

Other prominent members of the Conference Committee are Mr. Schiff, Dr. David Starr Jordan, Oswald Garrison Villard, James Speyer, Charles L. Bernheimer, Dr. Frank Crane, George Foster Peabody, John H. Finley, Adolph Lewisohn, Dr. Frederick Lynch, Felix Herzfeld and many other well known persons, women as well as men.

Mr. Holt, in answer to questions by the newspaper men, said the Conference Committee was not in any sense of the word a pro-German committee. It was, he said, as its name indicated, a neutral committee, a majority of whose members were persons of other than German birth or descent.

ASSAIL JACOB H. SCHIFF AS FOE OF THE ALLIES

Northcliffe Papers Accuse Him of Intriguing for Peace for Germany's Benefit.

Special Cable to THE NEW YORK TIMES.

LONDON, Thursday, Nov. 30.—Hall Caine's eloquent messages and various other statements cabled from London relative to the "Cosmos" articles in THE NEW YORK TIMES have given a fairly clear indication of the British attitude in regard to peace discussions at the present time. The reluctance shown by many men of light and leading to express for publication their views of the suggestions of "Cosmos" for the future may be attributed to reasons which range in character from that advanced by Viscount Grey in his Foreign Press Association speech to the fear that even the most academic contribution to the study of the prevention of future wars, if made in the nervous days of this great struggle, might be innocently misapprehended or willfully misrepresented.

Yesterday's debate in the House of

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United States Asks Allies to Reconsider and Grant a Safe Conduct to Tarnowski

WASHINGTON, Nov. 29.—The United States has sent notes to Great Britain and France, it became known today, requesting reconsideration by those Governments of their refusal to issue a safe conduct through their blockade lines for Count Tarnowski, the new Austro-Hungarian Ambassador to this country, and speaking of the unfortunate effect that a continued refusal would have on opinion here.

The notes point out that it is an inalienable right of sovereign nations to exchange ambassadors, and insist that a third nation, even in time of war, is not justified in denying that right. Great care is taken to base the representations solely on international right as distinguished from mere international courtesy, making it clear that the United States is not asking a favor or assuming the attitude of a pleader.

Care also is taken not to put the Government in the position of having changed its attitude since the last communication on the subject, which was merely the transmission of the Austrian Government's request for a safe conduct. It was planned at first when the rebuff was received to drop the position of being a messenger of Austria and make a formal demand in the name of the United States.

It was decided, however, that it was unnecessary to take such action at this stage of the negotiations, when it is hoped that a firm statement of the general principles of international law in the case will cause a reconsideration by the Allies. If the present notes meet with an unsatisfactory response it is admitted that a very difficult situation will be developed.

The Allied Embassies are deeply concerned over the resentment felt by the Washington Government and are taking unusual care to keep their Governments fully informed. It is not known that they have forwarded any direct representations to their Governments except in so far as the nature of their information is in itself a recommendation. Nevertheless officials have every hope that this informal action by the diplomatic representatives on the ground will go far toward influencing a change of attitude on the other side.

Early replies to the American notes are expected owing to the fact that Count Tarnowski is scheduled to sail from Rotterdam on the Dutch steamer Nieuw Amsterdam on Dec. 16. Should the replies prove unfavorable, the United States might send a final note, notifying the Allies to disturb the Austrian Envoy at their own risk, or it might be decided to send an American merchantman or warship to some neutral port to receive the Ambassador and bring him across the Atlantic. As yet, however, such a contingency has hardly been contemplated in view of the confident belief that the Allies will yield.

THANKSGIVING EVE SEES TURKEYS DROP

Price of Eggs Also Lower as Housewives' Boycott Is Continued.

CONSUMERS REFUSE TO BUY

Head of Mayor's Conference Would Have Executives Join in State-Wide Proclamations.

The wholesale price of eggs dropped a cent and a half a dozen yesterday, making a total drop of two and a half cents since Tuesday morning, when the household embargo on eggs went into effect. Turkey, which had not been boycotted, dropped two and three cents a pound wholesale, with the market in a condition which promised bargains in turkeys for housewives who held off until today.

The price of turkeys fell of its own weight, according to wholesalers, retailers and city investigators. Prices ranging between 40 and 45 cents retail were found to be too high, even for prosperous times, and turkey suffered from an economic boycott. Many dealers who were threatened with a loss if they sold at prevailing prices put turkeys, which arrived freshly yesterday and the day before, into cold storage, thus speculating on higher prices during the holidays to come.

Promoters of the egg embargo insist that the boycott in New York and many other cities has caused the price reduction and that, if continued, it will send prices down much farther.

More Reductions Demanded.

Cold storage eggs are now retailing at from 45 and 50 cents a dozen, and at least 10 cents more must come off those prices, according to experts under Commissioner of Weights and Measures Hartigan, before the boycott can be considered a success. Under present conditions a fair price would be 35 cents a doezn, according to egg dealers who are advising Commissioner Hartigan. The wholesale price of cold storage eggs yesterday, according to the Producers' Price Current, ranged from 28 cents a dozen for poorer kinds to 35 cents for specials. These figures are less conservative than those of Deputy State Commissioner of Food and Markets George Hildebrand, who said yesterday:

"The price of cold storage eggs at wholesale has dropped between 4 and 5 cents since the boycott began. The average drop yesterday was 2 cents and the day before between 2 and 3 cents."

Wholesale egg dealers confirmed reports of officials yesterday that there was little selling of eggs, and the market was described in the trade as "nervous." Retail dealers bore out this condition of the market.

Mayor Cornelius F. Burns of Troy, President of the State Conference of Mayors and City Officials, who was here since Tuesday, sent appeals to Governor Whitman and to the Mayors of all New York cities, asking them to issue proclamations urging the citizens to support the egg boycott and other proposed boycotts to follow it. John J. McGlynn of Troy, President of the State Hotel Men's Association, wired to Mayor Burns yesterday that the Association would co-operate in the boycott.

Poultry Market Is Weak.

First-class fresh Maryland turkeys were selling at retail yesterday for 42 cents and the second quality at 38 cents, but the demand for them was small, compared with the demand for cold storage turkeys at prices running from 28 to 35 cents. Few retailers were willing to buy dressed varieties costing more than 30 cents a pound, and they reported that their customers were willing to pay as much as 35 cents a pound at retail, but not higher.

After a tour of the wholesale poultry markets Commissioner Hartigan said:

"There is a semi-panic in the wholesale markets among dealers in turkeys, chickens, geese, and ducks. Western shippers expected big prices and sent large shipments, expecting them to be taken regardless of price. Dealers will not give the prices asked. With prices dropping, wholesalers predicted that there would be an eleventh-hour demand for turkeys, when the prices would probably go on Thanksgiving morning to between 33 and 39 cents for the best birds."

A number of small dealers who had been unable to induce customers to pay the high price for turkeys have lowered their prices and sought to keep the profit by loading the turkeys with weights or by tampering with their scales, according to Commissioner Hartigan. His Inspectors yesterday arrested thirty-four turkey dealers in all parts of the city on charges of short-weighting.

Potatoes took another drop in price

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LAST WORD TO BERLIN IS GIVEN TO GERARD

President Instructs Him to Say That We Expect U-Boat Pledges to be Kept.

RENEWS PLEA FOR BELGIANS

Wilson Emphasizes to Envoy the Bad Impression Made Here by the Deportations.

WASHINGTON, Nov. 29.—Ambassador Gerard conferred with President Wilson late today and received final instructions on views to be presented to the German Government regarding the deportation of Belgians and submarine warfare.

No written communications have been given the Ambassador, but Mr. Wilson outlined to him fully the attitude of the American Government toward pending issues. The President is understood to have emphasized the unfavorable impression created here by Germany's treatment of the Belgians and to have reiterated that the United States had said its last word on submarine warfare and expected Germany to live up to her pledges.

After spending an hour with the President, Mr. Gerard started for New York. He plans to sail for Berlin on Dec. 5 if his private business permits.

During the day the Ambassador went to the State Department for a final conference with Secretary Lansing, and also talked with Secretary Daniels and other officials. While Mr. Gerard would not discuss the matter for publication, he is said to have informed the President that Germany undoubtedly was ready for peace on terms satisfactory to her.

Whether the Ambassador would have a conference in New York with Colonel E. M. House before starting for Berlin was undecided when he left here. There have been reports here within the last few days that Colonel House himself would go to Europe in the near future, but the Colonel has said that he has no such plans at present.

RESENT PRESS REPORT OF AMERICAN ATTITUDE

Berlin Press Criticise Talk of Lusitania Case Being Unsettled and U-53's Visit 'Offensive.'

BERLIN, Nov. 29, (via London.)—The Berlin papers print prominently a summary of an Associated Press dispatch from Washington of Nov. 19, (concerning the Lusitania and the U-53,) where comments are made, it is evident that the attitude of the American Government has created a bad impression. The papers fail to see the grounds at this moment for suddenly alleging that the Lusitania question remains unsettled.

Both Conservative and Liberal organs agree in condemning the attitude ascribed to the American Government respecting German submarine activities on the American coast. They point out that Germany is complying fully with the American demand that submarine operations follow the cruiser provisions of The Hague convention, even refraining from firing torpedoes while under water. The papers also reject the assumption that the cruise of the U-53 had the character of a blockade of American harbors, and fail to see justification for regarding it as "offensive."

The Post pronounces this characterization as "far-fetched and rather clumsy."

Count von Reventlow regards the dispatch as "a big bluff of threats and warnings."

The Morgen Post says that if President Wilson takes the stand indicated by the dispatch. "He can never be a suitable mediator for peace and that his intervention could only make the situation more dangerous and place new obstacles in the way of peace."

The Vossische Zeitung also emphasizes the threatening tone of the American Government as indicated in the dispatch and asserts that it has semi-official confirmation that the Government takes the same standpoint regarding submarine activity as the most intense anti-German newspaper in America.

The paper sees "A characteristic contrast" in Washington's language about "The unheard of and impudent encroachments of England and her Allies upon important American interests" which the dispatch calls "less dangerous."

Count Von Reventlow says:

"The necessity of letting the struggle take its own course is bitter, but no side wants a premature end, particu-

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BEATTY COMMANDS THE BRITISH FLEET

Replaces Jellicoe, Who, as First Sea Lord, Becomes Service Chief Ashore.

MORE CHANGES EXPECTED

Promotions Are in Response to Demand for Navy Men with War Experience.

BALFOUR IS ATTACKED

Two Papers Urge a Housecleaning in the Admiralty, Beginning with the Chief.

LONDON, Nov. 29.—Admiral Sir John R. Jellicoe, commander of the British fleet, was appointed First Sea Lord of the Admiralty today, being succeeded in command of the Grand Fleet by Vice Admiral Sir David Beatty, who commanded the British cruiser squadrons in the Jutland fight. Admiral Sir Henry B. Jackson, the present First Sea Lord, has been appointed President of the Royal Naval College at Greenwich.

The announcement of the change in command of the British Grand Fleet was made this afternoon in the House of Commons by A. J. Balfour, First Lord of the Admiralty. Mr. Balfour said there would be consequential changes also in the board of the Admiralty.

On being asked whether the changes in the Admiralty meant other changes in higher commands, Mr. Balfour replied that undoubtedly there would be changes, which would be announced in the ordinary course of events. The decision involving the appointments of Admirals Jellicoe, Beatty, and Jackson was taken some time ago, Mr. Balfour said, but for military reasons the announcement was delayed.

The vital changes in the management of the navy doubtless will be greeted heartily by the country. Recently there has been a demand for an infusion of new life on the Board of the Sea Lords at Whitehall. The case as presented by the critics was that none of the sea lords had been in active service afloat during this war, that more than two years of warfare had brought about radical changes in methods, and that the active direction of the fleets by the Admiralty should be in the hands of officers who had participated in and worked out the latest style of operations.

Since the Government apparently recognized the force of these criticisms, Admiral Jellicoe's appointment as First Sea Lord is the logical result.

Sir David Beatty's promotion to the command of the Grand Fleet gives the Government's answer to criticisms, mostly from abroad, that he showed rashness in the way he threw his battle cruiser squadrons into the Jutland fight.

Admiral Sir Henry B. Jackson obtains an honorable and comfortable post. Thus four important figures formerly in control of the navy have passed from Whitehall since the war began. These are Prince Louis of Battenberg, Baron Fisher, and Admiral Jackson, all of whom were First Sea Lords, and Winston Spencer Churchill, who was First Lord of the Admiralty.

Other changes in the way of bringing new men from the fleets to Whitehall are foreshadowed. Apparently Mr. Balfour retains his office as First Lord of the Admiralty through it all, although some of the same newspapers which called for Colonel Churchill's retirement have been turning their guns upon him, but from a different angle. They considered Churchill too impetuous and disposed to interfere with matters of strategy, while they consider Mr. Balfour too slow and conservative.

Two Papers Attack Balfour.

Gratification and hopeful expectation generally are expressed in the morning papers at the naval changes, although not without certain qualifications. It is universally admitted that the new appointments will be popular, but there is a disposition rather to hope than to be confident that the arrangement will work well.

The Times, for instance, while disavowing an intention to suggest that the appointments, because popular, are not necessarily sound, says:

"We do not doubt that the decision, which perhaps is more serious than any taken in the war, has been as anxiously considered by its authors as it will be widely discussed. It remains to be seen whether Admiral Jellicoe possesses the driving power, ruthlessness, ability to impress his colleagues, and the clear vision which is surely needed in the War Committee."

Much of the comment centers on the past administration of the Admiralty, of which sharp criticism is not confined to papers of one political type. It is complained that the Admiralty for some time has exhibited a lack of vigor and a strange aloofness from reality.

The criticism is not focused on A. J. Balfour, First Lord of the Admiralty, except in two instances—The Daily News and The Daily Mail, which call for his removal. The Daily News finds his retention of the First Lord disquieting, while The Mail makes an addition to its many recent attacks. It demands the complete reconstruction of the Admiralty board, "beginning with the old gentlemen at the head of it."

On the other hand, The Morning Post and Daily Telegraph pay tribute to Mr. Balfour, the former saying that special acknowledgment is due his administration and also his courage and strong sense in choosing the right time to make changes.

Beatty, who is 45 years of age, is the youngest Vice Admiral in the British service. He served in the Soudan and in China and in 1912 was Naval Secretary to Prince Louis of Battenberg.

In 1901 Beatty married Ethel, eldest daughter of Marshall Field of Chicago. Since the war began Lady Beatty has been interested in organizing English working girls for home defense.

HAVANA-TAMPA-FLORIDA RESORTS. All-steel Flamingo, 9:15 A. M., 55 minutes quickest to Tampa. Two nights out to Havana. Seaboard Air Line, 1184 B'way.—Advt.

GOVERNMENT TAKES WELSH COAL MINES

Action Follows a Long Dispute Over Demands for Increase in Wages.

LONDON, Nov. 29.—Under the Defense of the Realm Act the Board of Trade announces that from Dec. 1 it will assume control of all the coal mines in South Wales. A committee has been appointed, representing the Board of Trade, the Home Office and the Admiralty, for the administration of the mines. It will meet tomorrow to consider the question of wages.

There has been a long dispute concerning the demands of the South Wales miners for a second 15 per cent. increase of the war bonus.

The Board of Trade attempted by intervention to procure a settlement, but the mine owners objected to an investigation of their affairs with a view to ascertaining whether they could justifiably meet the miners' demands.

The action is an entirely new departure and appears to have been caused by the imperative necessity of preventing a trade dispute from interfering with the coal supply. Earlier in the course of the war the Government took steps to control the price of coal to some extent, but from the beginning of the war there has been trouble in South Wales arising from the constant conflict between the coal miners and the owners on the question of wages.

A year ago David Lloyd George, then Minister of Munitions, had to interfere and concede to the miners a 15 per cent. bonus, despite the opposition of the owners.

The coal owners have been generally condemned by both press and public.

GERMANS SELL STOCKS TAKEN ON INVASION

Far-reaching Organization Unearthed by French Secret Police —Several Arrests Made.

PARIS, Nov. 29.—Commissioner Faralicq of the French Secret Service reported that a far-reaching organization of German banks to market abroad securities and coupons which disappeared from the invaded districts of northern France and Belgium has been disclosed by inquiries into the case of Geobran Rabbat, a Syrian banker arrested at Geneva.

Rabbat was charged with having in his possession a quantity of Russian, Serbian and French Government stock taken by Germans in occupied territory. He formerly was a banker in Rue Lafitte, Paris. The French Government got track of Rabbat's operations through the sale for 20,000 francs (about $4,000) of coupons of Russian bonds belonging to M. Aumignon, who buried them in a garden at Termes in the Ardennes before the arrival there of the Germans.

Commissioner Faralicq reported that his inquiries had convinced him the organization was in direct relation with German banks. The Swiss and French police already have seized in various places in both countries papers the examination of which will require a month. It is stated that coupons on securities valued at about 20,000,000 francs already have been cashed by unwitting buyers. One man, Loret y Soler, a Spaniard, has been arrested on the Swiss frontier. In a double-bottomed trunk in his possession were, it is charged, Argentine and Spanish securities worth 317,000 francs.

PLANS FRENCH CREDIT OF $1,700,000,000

New Budget Estimate Will Raise Total Credits of Nation to $14,500,000,000.

PARIS, Nov. 29.—By March 31, 1917, the total credits opened by the French Government since the beginning of hostilities will amount to 72,500,000,000 Francs, ($14,500,000,000,) says Raoul Peret, reporter of the Budget Committee of the Chamber of Deputies, in recommending the vote of a provisional appropriation of 8,600,000,000 francs, ($1,700,000,000,) to pay the expenses of the first quarter of 1917.

M. Peret also indorses the new taxation project which was decided on recently by the Appropriation Committee of the Chamber, and which, if adopted, will yield 600,000,000 francs. These taxes are to be derived from increases in the taxes on incomes and on tobacco, wine, beef and other commodities. He points out that the annual charges on the public debt now amount to 2,500,000,000 francs, and that new taxes are needed at once to meet these charges unless it is desired to embark in more borrowing.

AIRMEN RAID ZEEBRUGGE.

British Machines Attack Port on Belgian Coast and Return Safely.

LONDON, Nov. 29.—British naval airplanes made a raid upon the harbor of Zeebrugge yesterday, it was officially announced tonight. What damage they inflicted is not known. All the machines returned safely. The official announcement says:

Yesterday afternoon an attack was carried out by naval airplanes upon the harbor at Zeebrugge, but owing to the weather the results could not be observed. All the machines returned.

EARTHQUAKE ROCKS JAPAN.

Kobe and Kyoto Shaken and Many Houses Destroyed.

TOKIO, Nov. 29.—Considerable damage has been caused by an earthquake in middle Japan. Many houses have been destroyed in Kobe, Osaka, and Kyoto.

The railway station at Kyoto was damaged, and several pedestrians were hurt by falling walls and roofs in that town and in Kobe.

PINEHURST HOTELS AND GOLF LINKS Now open. Inquire Seaboard Air Line, 1184 B'way.—Advt.

RUSSIANS START NEW BIG DRIVE TO AID RUMANIA

Advance in the Carpathian Region, Capturing Ridges and 811 Prisoners.

FALKENHAYN IN PITECHTI

Occupies a Junction Town on the Arges River 65 Miles Northwest of Bucharest.

RUMANIANS FALLING BACK

Berlin Describes the Retreat Before Northern and Southern Armies as Disorderly.

BERLIN, Nov. 29, (by Wireless to Sayville.)—Pitechti, in Rumania, sixty-five miles northwest of Bucharest, has been captured by General von Falkenhayn's troops, the War Office announced in tonight's official statement. The Rumanians before Bucharest are retreating in disorder. The Russians began attacks yesterday at many places along the northern Rumanian front. They gained small local advantages at a heavy cost. The text of the statement reads:

Front of Archduke Joseph—In the wooded Carpathians and on the eastern frontier of Transylvania the Russians yesterday launched attacks at many points against the German and Austro-Hungarian lines. They suffered defeat. Minor local advantages were paid for in sanguinary sacrifices.

The infantry of General von Falkenhayn's army is victoriously advancing along the entire Wallachian front. The defeated enemy is retreating eastward in disorder.

Front of Field Marshal von Mackensen—The movements of the Danube army correspond with those of the forces operating further north.

In Dobrudja there has been only minor fighting activity.

By gaining possession of the whole line of the River Alt, in Western Rumania, together with the towns of Alexandria and Giurgiu, the Teutonic allies shortened their front by about 125 miles, the military critic of the Overseas News Agency writes. The invaders also have gained undisputed control of the Danube over a distance of 185 miles.

A correspondent of the Lokal-Anzeiger telegraphs that the German troops which advanced east of the Alt Valley outflanked the Rumanians on the northern part of the river, and that hundreds of the Rumanians surrendered, the others disbanding and fleeing into the mountains. In consequence of this move the Austrians and Germans were able to break through Rothenthurm Pass at the narrowest point, almost without loss, and advance southward without encountering resistance.

The Rumanians fled in panic, as is shown by the large number of prisoners taken recently and also by the fact that captured trenches were found to be filled with war material of all kinds. Rifles still ready for firing, the correspondent says, were lying before the trenches, pointed toward the former Austro-German positions.

Craiova is flying hundreds of white flags in token of its surrender and peaceful intentions. In peace times Craiova is a prosperous city of fifty-odd thousand inhabitants, including 300 millionaires. Today it is downcast and partly deserted.

Amazed at the speed with which the Germans advanced, a majority of the wealthy residents fled. The Jews, who remained in thousands, are professedly friendly to the Germans, but closed their stores.

Turks Captured Alexandria.

CONSTANTINOPLE, Nov. 29, (via London.)—The following official communication was issued today:

In Dobrudja our artillery and infantry fire repulsed enemy troops and drove them from their intrenchments. The enemy suffered heavy losses.

Our troops, who crossed the Danube, occupied Alexandria Monday. They captured 140 railway cars and a large quantity of provisions.

SOFIA, Nov. 28, (via London, Nov. 29.)—Giurgiu, on the Danube, was captured by troops of the Central Powers advancing on the north bank of the Danube, supported by Bulgarian and Austrian monitors on the river, says today's War Office statement. The battle lasted five hours, and was followed by the flight of the Rumanians and the population toward Bucharest in semi-panic, says the official statement. It reads:

The Danube army continues its advance without interruption and has come into close touch with the allied (Teutonic) troops which descended from the Carpathians.

Our troops advanced on the left bank of the Danube and attacked Giurgiu. Supported by our monitors and Austrian monitors, they captured Giurgiu after a sanguinary fight lasting from 11 A. M. to 4 P. M. The enemy troops and the population, in a semi-panic, fled toward Bucharest.

On the Danube above Rustchuk and as far as Cernavoda there has been infantry and artillery firing. In Dobrudja there has been artillery firing.

Russians Drive in Carpathians.

PETROGRAD, Nov. 29.—Russian troop advancing against the Teutonic lines east and south of Kirlibaba, in the southern Carpathians, have captured the ridges of heights and 811 prisoners, the War Office announced today. It also announces a general retirement of the Rumanians from western Wallachia under Teutonic pressure. The statement is appended:

In the wooded Carpathians our detachments gained possession of a height six versts west of Vapadia, and took prisoner two officers and

ninety-eight men. In the region of Wakarka we have taken possession of a hill ten versts northwest of this point and captured prisoners.

In the region of Kirlibaba our troops gained possession of a ridge of heights east of Kirlibaba, compelling the enemy to retire from his positions and capturing eleven officers, 700 men, six machine-guns and a bomb-mortar. South of Kirlibaba, in the Deytiana Valley, we captured a ridge of heights along the whole of our front.

Rumanian Front: The Rumanians are retiring from western Wallachia eastward under pressure of the enemy. Toward Monday evening the enemy had reached the line of Darmanestchti (on the Arges River, eighty miles northwest of Bucharest), Dragani, Vataschti, Kosteshti and Zveru. On the Alexandria-Zimnitza front the following places were captured by the enemy: Prunaro, Topor, Vieru and Slobodzeia. In the direction of the latter place the enemy has advanced along the Turnepo Road, to Kuluguruna.

In Dobrudja artillery and rifle fire is proceeding.

BUCHAREST, Nov. 29.—An official statement issued today by the Rumanian War Department says:

Northern and northwestern fronts: There have been intense artillery bombardments over the whole front. An enemy attack in the Prahova valley has been repulsed.

Western front: The situation is unchanged.

Southern front: There has been rifle and artillery fire along the Danube, especially in the direction of Oltenitsa.

Dobrudja: The situation is unchanged.

AMERICAN OIL PLANTS.

Upwards of $7,000,000 Invested in Properties Menaced in Rumania.

Wireless dispatches from Berlin reporting a decision of the Rumanian Government to destroy plants connected with the extensive oil fields of the country were read without apparent trepidation yesterday at the New York offices of the Standard Oil Company, which has holdings there valued at between $7,000,000 and $10,000,000.

The last word received here from the company's representative in Bucharest arrived two days ago, according to an official of the company, stating briefly "All well." Whether this alluded to the personnel of its Rumanian company, which includes a number of Americans, or to the situation in general, the local officials were unable to determine.

They expressed "the utmost confidence" in the ability of their representative and of the United States Government to do all in their power to guard American interests in Rumania.

The Standard Oil fields in Rumania are held under the name of a Rumanian corporation called the "Romana-Americana," which is entirely owned by the Standard Oil Company of New Jersey. The property comprises wells, refineries, and undeveloped oil territory. The output up to thirty days ago averaged 6,000 barrels of petroleum daily, it was stated. The main offices are at Bucharest, with an American named Sadler in charge as managing director.

"TANKS" FIGHT IN PAIRS.

Nova Scotian Says Monsters Are Called "Male and Female."

KINGSPORT, N. S., Nov. 29.—A description of the operation of British "tanks" was given by Lieutenant Harry W. Hiltz, of the Nova Scotia Battalion, on his arrival here today. The Lieutenant received wounds in the taking of Courcelette during the Somme offensive.

"There are two types of tanks known as the male and female tank," he said. "They fight in pairs, a male and a female. The male tank carries two heavy guns and six machine guns and the female has two heavy guns and five machine guns. They certainly proved a great surprise to the Germans, and, I might add, to us as well, as they came lumbering along during the fight for Courcelette. They did better work then, of course, than they have accomplished since, for the Germans have become accustomed to them and know better now how to fight back."

Lieutenant Hiltz says that the new British war machine travels two or three miles an hour, and when it comes to a trench the front part draws up after the manner of a caterpillar attempting to get over an obstacle. At night, when the tanks are used, a white tape is run out ahead from the machine and serves as a guide for it.

HUGE NEW FINE FOR BELGIUM.

German Authorities Impose Another Levy of $2,000,000 a Month.

PARIS, Nov. 29.—The German authorities have issued a decree imposing a further payment of 10,000,000 francs ($2,000,000) a month on Belgium, according to a Havas dispatch from Havre. This is additional to the existing levy of 480,000,000 francs ($96,000,000.)

The dispatch says that the provincial councils have been convoked for Dec. 2, in order to approve the new imposition.

RUSSIANS REPEL ATTACKS.

German Activity Along Eastern Front Stopped by Artillery.

PETROGRAD, Nov. 29. — Concerning the situation on the western (Russian) front the War Office today made public the following statement:

Last evening the enemy liberated asphyxiating gas against our trenches in the region of the villages of Labusy and Nagoria, on the River Shara. Later the enemy took the offensive in this sector, but his attack was repulsed by our fire and by bayonet fighting.

On the River Stokhod, in the region of Little Borsk, our artillery caused an explosion of enemy ammunition depots. Enemy attempts to approach our trenches in the region of Pustomyty were beaten back by our fire.

BERLIN, Nov. 29. (By Wireless to Sayville.)—Today's official statement regarding operations on the Russian front is as follows:

Eastern Front.—Front of Prince Leopold.—Nothing of importance has occurred.

ITALIAN ARTILLERY BUSY.

Gun Fighting All Along the Front, Particularly East of Gorizia.

ROME, Nov. 19.—The Italian War Office issued this statement today:

On the whole front there were the usual artillery actions, which became particularly intense in the area east of Gorizia, notwithstanding persistent bad weather.

On the Carso the work of consolidation is being prosecuted vigorously. An effective barrage fire and the activities of raiding forces impeded operations of the enemy in his lines.

EX-REPORTER NOW PREMIER

H. C. Brewster Heads New Cabinet in British Columbia.

VICTORIA, B. C., Nov. 29.—The new Liberal Cabinet, headed by Harlan C. Brewster as Premier and President of the Council, was sworn today. Beside the Premier the members are Attorney General, M. A. MacDonald; Minister of Finance, Ralph Smith; Minister of Agriculture, John Oliver; Provincial Secretary and Minister of Education, Dr. J. D. McLean; Minister of Works, Dr. J. H. King.

Premier Brewster formerly was a newspaper reporter in Boston, and was city editor of two newspapers in that city.

Petrograd Reports Turks' Advance.

PETROGRAD, Nov. 29. (via London.)—Further advances by Turkish forces south of Van in southern Turkish Armenia are now announced in today's War Office statement. The repulse of a Turkish attack in the Kigis region is reported in the statement.

WEIRD NIGHT RITES FOR DEAD EMPEROR

Procession from Schoenbrunn to Hofburg Chapel a Mingling of Medieval and Modern.

VIEWED BY HUGE CROWDS

Scene Illumined by Lanterns, Torches, and Flaring Gas Jets —Service at the Bier.

By CYRIL BROWN.

Special Cable to THE NEW YORK TIMES.

VIENNA, Nov. 27, Midnight, (via London, Nov. 29.)—Half of Vienna turned out tonight to witness the transference of Kaiser Francis Joseph's body from Schoenbrunn to the Hofburg Chapel.

The journey, made through masses of silent, sombre humanity, who for a few minutes forgot food and war, offered one of the most fantastic spectacles seen within the memory of the living here.

Not without permanent historic qualities was the scene at Schoenbrunn itself, where, it is estimated, two hundred thousand Viennese braved the dreary, damp, chilly November night for hours to watch the comings and goings. Around 9 o'clock court carriages and equipages in deepest mourning, the vehicles all black, the liveries black and the trappings of the spirited horses black, pulled slowly through one gap in that loyal living cordon, and the wet crowds watches the immediate Imperial family enter the palace portals for the penultimate leave taking. Historic names were in the small, select cast grouped about the Imperial bier in the death chamber for the consecration of the body. In addition to Kaiser Charles and Kaiserin Zita, were Archduchess Maria Theresa, Prince Leopold of Bavaria with Princess Gisela, the late Emperor's daughter, and a score of Archdukes, Archduchesses, Princes and Princesses.

Promptly at 10 o'clock the Court Chamberlain and lackeys bore the Imperial heavy metal black velvet covered coffin down the flight of marble steps between rows of flaring torches to the waiting giant hearse, the young Emperor and Empress following, deeply moved. A further fantastic touch was given to the scene by the fact that the only other illumination in the Schoenbrunn grounds came from the windblown pillars and jets of flaring gas from lamps whose burners had been removed for the occasion.

Low words of command set the waiting cavalry and infantry in motion. The palace body guard presented arms to the Emperor for the last time, the hushed crowds stood with heads bared, the escorts of honor closed in, and the cortège was set in slow motion, breaking the tense spell.

I had an even better detailed view of the funeral train as it approached the venerable Hapsburg pile known as the Hofburg, where the casket remains on public view until its burial on Thursday. Vienna's Broadway, Mariahilfer Strasse, was lined with black. On the impassable sidewalks respectfully eager crowds were held back by cordons of field-gray infantry and picturesque police, the crowds straining on tiptoes as the first moving lanterns came into sight around the street bend.

From my lookout on a second-story balcony this strange Vienna nocturne seemed an uncanny carnival of death. There was something curiously mediaeval about the proceedings so that it engendered in a twentieth century American a haunting sense of unreality. Two mounted equerries in long, light, buff coats and black velvet, gold-trimmed cocked hats led the solemn procession. They bore archaic lanterns, long rods, painted with black and yellow spirals, the Austrian national colors, were topped with heavy gold-framed glass lamps in which burned two diminutive wax tapers. Other pairs of these mounted wind torch-bearing liveried grooms preceded each of the seven court carriages, the latter all gold or gilded, even to the wheel spokes, and magnificently carved. Court servants, feudally liveried court chamberlains agglutinated with gold lace, sundry other functionaries, and military personages, including the dead Kaiser's personal adjutants with green-plumed marshal's hats, reclined in these comfortably springed gilded court equipages.

In the massive black hearse drawn by eight black Spanish stallions, the Imperial bier was plainly visible to the crowd that, hatless and silent, watched it creep past. The hearse was surrounded by a huge carved Hapsburg crown swathed all in black draperies with not a single flower to relieve the sombreness of the picture. On each side walked a double file of mediaeval pikemen and halberdiers, the pikemen picturesque in long dark blue capes and white plumed helmets and the halberdiers in blue gold-laced coats, white buckskin breeches, high patent leather boots, and black plumed helmets. Immediately behind the hearse came a squadron of mounted archers on beautiful bays and wearing long cream-colored capes, white plumed and crested helmets and wielding flashing sabres. Real cavalry in the shape of a squadron of Kaiser Dragoons, in grey field uniform, closed the procession, the slow clattering hoofs of the horses beating an imperial funeral march.

At the Hofburg, between two improvised funeral pylons, the Burgomaster and Aldermen of Vienna awaited the dead Emperor. At the gate of the structure, whose venerable masonry had been draped with black cloths, giant candelabras, spouting jets of gas flame, threw a lurid light over the courtyard scene. The gate watch presented arms, the imperial standard was dipped, and, as the court choir chanted the Miserere, the coffin was carried into the chapel, preceded by pages in gold-embroidered and red feudal trappings. The imperial Austrian crown, the Hungarian crown of St. Stephen, the archducal hat, the insignia of the Order of the Golden Fleece and of other grand orders, a marshal's staff, and the imperial hat and gloves were placed on a velvet pillow at the foot of the coffin.

A short benediction followed in the presence of the immediate members of the imperial family and privileged notables. Then the High Court Chamberlain, Prince Montenuovo, ceremoniously received the keys of the chapel, which he personally locked after all the mourners had left. All the requirements of an ancient tradition had been complied with, and at midnight the dead Emperor lay alone in Hofburg Chapel, to be exposed to public view on the morrow.

SAY BRITISH KILL TRADE.

Brooklyn Manufacturers Complain of Operations of Blockade.

Alfred E. Owers, secretary of the John J. Lattemann Shoe Manufacturing Company of St. Edwards Street, Brooklyn, said yesterday that the business conducted by his firm with importers in Norway was seriously interfered with by the restrictions of the British Government. The exports of the Lattemann company to Norway amount to $75,000 annually.

"We are not on the blacklist given out by the British Government," said Mr. Owers, "yet we have not been able to ship a pair of women's shoes to Norway since the blacklist was published. The British Embassy does not openly refuse to give us the 'letters of assurance' necessary to permit our goods to be shipped. They notify our agent indefinitely that there has been some delay, and that they are awaiting advices from London.

"This has been going on since midsummer. "Shoes that were ordered for Summer use are undelivered, and even if they were shipped now they would be greatly depreciated in value because of the changes in styles that have taken place. It means that our trade there is being destroyed. We are shiping similar shoes to England every week, and that is evidence that our firm is not on a blind blacklist."

The War Situation

BY THE MILITARY EXPERT OF THE NEW YORK TIMES.

The reports of yesterday's fighting in Rumania give no details other than that the Rumanians are still retreating and that the Germans have taken the city of Pitesci. The retreat of the Rumanians is not surprising. There is no position in their present front or in their immediate rear where conditions favor a successful stand. The retreat must continue at least until the strongest position between their lines and Bucharest is reached and this is the line of the Arges River. Whether they will be able to make such a stand here is another question. The chances are that they will not, but at the same time it remains the only position west of Bucharest where such a thing is at all possible. This means that, pivoting on their right, the Rumanian Army must swing well to the eastward in retreat for many miles. What will happen on the northern boundary while this retreat is in progress is a vital question which may make even this line untenable.

The remarkable thing about this Rumanian defeat from the very beginning is the small numbers of prisoners which Berlin has reported having captured. It would be but natural that in such a retreat as the Rumanians have had to make, the number of prisoners captured would be great. There was cut off, it is known, a not inconsiderable number of men in Little Wallachia by the capture of Craiova, and of this force Berlin reports having captured only 1,200. What has happened to the remainder no one knows. A report was received from Petrograd that this force had cut its way through along the Danube before Mackensen had effected his crossing. No confirmation of it has been received, in fact no word of this force has been written. Apparently, therefore, the Rumanian Army is still intact, with the possible exception of this relatively small force of which we know nothing, and if they can delay matters sufficiently to get themselves together, may yet prove able to hold a good defensive line.

The chances, however, are exceedingly slim. As matters appear now, indeed as they have appeared since von Falkenhayn took Craiova, the probabilities are that the Rumanian line of defense will be a line drawn east and west through Galati at the bend of the Danube. This will mean sacrificing, at least for the time being, all of Dobrudja and all of Little and Great Wallachia. What the situation will be then can be discussed when we get to it. At present that line is a long way off in distance if not in time, and much fighting will occur before it is reached.

There seems to be no danger as yet of the capture of the Rumanian Army or of cutting it off from Russia. The way to retreat is clear, nothing at this time threatens to block it. If this army does get out intact except for the casualties of battle, it will yet be a potent factor to consider in the subsequent fighting in this region. Rumania possessed a unique advantage to the Allies by reason of her peculiarly advantageous geographical position. The Allies it seems have sat idly by watching the tragedy of Rumania's destruction without moving to her assistance. The chance has been lost.

But at the same time we cannot judge of what the true situation is by what is happening in one campaign. At the outset of the war all indications were, judging from the speed with which the German Army raced through Eastern France and Belgium, that it would be a matter of but a few months. The Germans themselves had counted much on the expectation that a short time would see them in Paris. But there were a few men in the world who saw that the war would not be over in a short time, men who even in the early days placed a time limit on it of not less than three years. Because the Germans are reaping the fruit of their brilliant campaign against Rumania does not mean that the end of things has been brought any nearer. Peace is just as far off as it was when the campaign began, and the military situation has not changed from that which existed before Rumania took the fatal step. If, therefore, the Rumanian Army makes good its retreat, as it has apparently done up to date, and can defend the Carpathian passes along its western boundary so as not to permit the Germans to cut in behind the Russians in Bukowina, it can make its presence felt in no small way later on.

The renewal of Russian activity in the mountains of Southern Bukowina was not entirely unexpected. It is undoubtedly the best way that Rumania can be aided at the present time. Were the Russians to denude their line of troops to rush them to Rumania's aid they would, as was pointed out yesterday, expose themselves to a dangerous attack, or would permit the Germans to do the same thing and thus meet reinforcement with reinforcement. Delivering an attack themselves not far from the point of greatest Rumanian pressure is better calculated to produce results. Whether it will or not depends, needless to say, on the results achieved.

The point of the Russian attack is really vital, and if successful would have far-reaching results. The Teuton line as it is at present situated forms, from Southern Bukowina to Giurgiu on the Danube, a huge "S" inverted. The northern part of the line is at Kirlibaba, one of the main mountain passes of Bukowina, and it is about this point that that Russian attack is being delivered. It has been a section of the Russian line where much bitter fighting has taken place, and many attempts have been made to break through the pass at Kirlibaba into Transylvania. Up to date they have all proved unsuccessful. Their main chance at the present time would seem to be, therefore, that the Teutons have so weakened this section of the front in order to give von Falkenhayn the necessary strength for his push that a blow delivered now would be able to crush through. If it does, the campaign against Rumania will take on a new aspect.

Von Falkenhayn's line as it now is in Rumania will not necessarily be affected. The line in the Carpathians, however, will be outflanked and its lines of retreat will be so placed in jeopardy that the upper part of the "S" will have to be straightened out and the eastern section of Transylvania again will fall into Rumania's hands. It will be a fight then to reach the Maros Valley and the railroad which parallels it. Not until this is reached will the Teutons have the slightest alarm.

Russia must be pretty well done for this Winter. She has used artillery on a lavish scale for months and her supplies coming now as they must come, over the Trans-Siberian Railroad, cannot be too plentiful, even though it is reported that all of Japan has been turned into a huge munition plant. There does not appear to be, then, any particular reason to expect Russia will be able to change materially the Rumanian situation She may force the withdrawal of some of the German troops to the northern field but probably not enough to make their absence felt. The Kirlibaba fighting, however, will bear watching.

RESENT REPORTS OF OUR ATTITUDE

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larly when it is uncertain how far it may trust a man who offers his services as mediator."

SAW A SUBMARINE TORPEDO THE MARINA

Forty-five American Survivors of Sea Tragedy Arrive Here and Describe It.

The forty-five American survivors of the British steamship Marina, who arrived yesterday from Glasgow on the Anchor liner Tuscania, were unanimous in their verdict that the torpedoing of the vessel by a German submarine without warning was murder in cold blood and nothing else. The men were booked through to Baltimore, and left New York by train in the afternoon after their testimony had been taken in the Law Department at the Custom House. They were all horsemen.

According to Jesse T. Hancock of Richmond, Va., the foreman, the nineteen men on the Marina who were drowned, including seven Americans, never had a chance for their lives, because a second torpedo was fired by the submarine while they were on the hurricane deck trying to lower a lifeboat from the davits. Hancock asserted emphatically that all who got clear of the ship saw the submarine when it fired the second torpedo,

"We left Newport News on Sept. 22 with a load of horses and landed them at Avonmouth on Oct. 8, and then went from there to Greenock, Scotland, to discharge the general cargo from the lower hold," said Hancock. "We sailed from Greenock on Oct. 27 in ballast for Newport News, and at 3:45 P. M. the next day, when the Marina was about sixty-five miles southwest of the Irish coast, with a rough sea on, there was an explosion on the starboard side amidships. There was no warning, and the officers on the bridge and the lookout men in the crow's nest had seen no sign of a submarine, but we all realized the ship had been torpedoed because she started to settle in the water on an even keel.

"Captain Brown, who was on the bridge, blew the steam whistle for the crew to man the lifeboats. The call was responded to promptly and in an orderly manner. There was very little confusion and 104 out of a total of 123 hands on board were able to get away in the first four boats that were lowered. There was some difficulty with the falls of the fifth boat and the nineteen men left on board were clearing it away when the submarine rose to the surface on the port side of the sinking steamship and fired another torpedo at a distance of sixty yards. It exploded with such terrific force that the Marina broke in two amidships and sank immediately taking the nineteen men down with her. Some of them must have been killed by the torpedo, but it all happened so quickly that it was hard to tell how many were killed before the ship sank under their feet."

Hancock said the firing of the second torpedo was deliberate murder on the part of the submarine commander because it was entirely unnecessary, as the Marina was settling fast and in a few more minutes the nineteen men would have got away in the lifeboat.

The submarine submerged after firing the second torpedo and left the 104 survivors in the four boats to their fate in a rough sea and nearly seventy miles from the nearest land. They drifted for 84 hours, exposed to the cold in a heavy snowstorm and saturated by the waves which broke over the boats. They were finally picked up by a patrol boat and landed in Ireland in an exhausted condition.

The names of the seven Americans lost on the Marina were: P. O. Brown of Roanoke, Va.; J. E. Brown of Charlottesville, Va.; George Sedberry of Fayettesville, N. C.; D. P. Thomas of Wilmington, Del.; William Buoy and George House of Norfolk, Va., and John Lux of Seattle, Wash.

BERLIN'S MARINA NOTE A COUNTERINQUIRY

Cannot Give a Definite Reply Without Details Regarding the Ship's Charter.

By Wireless to THE NEW YORK TIMES.

BERLIN, Nov. 29, (via Sayville.)—In the Marina note, which was handed to the American Embassy yesterday, the German Government declares that a definite answer to the American inquiry cannot be given until further details are given, especially regarding the nature of the ship's charter by the British Government. If the sinking of the ship should prove to be contrary to the rules of international law, the German Government will not fail to take the necessary steps.

Thus, as the German authorities point out, Germany, as before, intends waging submarine warfare within the rules of international law.

This adherence to international law was also indicated to me by the present State Secretary, Alfred Zimmermann, in a recent interview. In spite of his clear statement indicating absolutely no deviation from a strict compliance of German submarine cruiser warfare with the rules of international law, his words were apparently distorted in coming back to the European press, for Swiss papers, referring to the interview, contain an alleged statement of Herr Zimmermann indicating the indiscriminate sinking of ships carrying contraband in future. Having emphasized compliance of Germany's submarine warfare with international law, Herr Zimmermann is desirous of making it clear that this is a mischievous distortion of his words by Germany's enemies to create ill feeling between the United States and Germany.

By The Associated Press.

BERLIN, Nov. 28, (via London.)—The German Foreign Office has asked the American Embassy for further details as to the place and circumstances of the sinking of the British steamer Marina. It is said that the information offered in the American note of inquiry is insufficient for the purposes of investigation.

SHIP INSURANCE GOES UP.

American Registry No Longer Commands Low Rate in War Zone.

Marine underwriters admitted yesterday that they were much disturbed by the activities of German submarines in the Mediterranean. Something like $1,000,000 of the insurance on the Chemung and the City of Birmingham was written by local offices, while other underwriters escaped because they had declined to quote any lower rate on American vessels carrying contraband than on ships of belligerent nations.

Heretofore American registry has commanded a slightly lower war risk rate than on belligerent ships. It was predicted in some insurance quarters yesterday that this difference would disappear in case of vessels sailing to waters known to be "covered" by U-boats.

The war risk rates were generally ½ of 1 per cent. higher yesterday than the day before. On cargoes destined to England and the Atlantic coast of France the quotation was 3 per cent., and also to Portugal. This figure was low compared with the rates quoted for risks going into the Mediterranean. As much as 7 per cent. was sought on certain ships going to Greece, with underwriters not anxious for the business, and 6½ per cent. was quoted for Italian ports.

CHEMUNG CLAIM IN DOUBT.

United States May Not Be Able to Hold Austria for the Loss.

WASHINGTON, Nov. 29.—Consul Putnam at Valencia, Spain, reported today that the American steamer Chemung was sunk by gunfire and a torpedo from an Austrian submarine fourteen miles east of Cabo de Gata, Spain. No additional details have been received.

Interest here centres in the prospect of extreme difficulty in collecting damages for the loss of the steamer, now that it is known that she was sunk by an Austrian war craft. Many authorities have held that under international law a vessel carrying over 50 per cent. contraband could be sunk if it were impossible for the captor to get her to port. Under the terms of the old Prussian-American treaty, Germany has agreed to pay for the American vessels sunk in such circumstances. But as Austria is not in any way bound by that treaty, the issue would have to be made on a disputed phase of international law.

Harriss, Magill & Co. of 15 Williams Street, agents for the owners of the American steamship Chemung, received the following cable yesterday from the Captain:

Chemung sunk by gunfire and torpedoed by Austrian submarine fourteen miles east of Cabo de Gata, 28th. All safe. Address care of American Consul, Valencia.

DUFFY.

GERMAN KAISER, ILL, LEAVES VIENNA

Prays at Bier of Francis Joseph and Talks with New Reigning Couple.

ACTRESS BENEFITS BY WILL

Late Ruler Bequeathed $250,000 to Frau Katharine Schratt, Formerly of Imperial Theatre.

AMSTERDAM, Nov. 29, (via London.)—A Berlin official telegram says that the German Emperor arrived in Vienna in the forenoon yesterday, but left the city in the evening. Owing to a slight cold the Emperor's physicians prevailed upon him to abandon his intention of attending the funeral of Emperor Francis Joseph. The telegram says:

"The German Emperor refused to renounce his duty of bidding farewell, both personally and as supreme lord of the allied German forces, to the deceased ruler. The Emperor stayed quietly in prayer at the bier of Francis Joseph, on which he laid a wreath. The Emperor especially requested that no official reception be accorded him. The day was devoted quietly to the memory of the deceased and to a talk with the young imperial couple, with whom the Emperor expressed an urgent desire to have a long visit in these earnest days."

A dispatch from Vienna says that when Emperor William arrived at the Austrian capital traces of his cold were still perceptible. He was warmly greeted by King Charles. Later the Emperor was visited by King Ferdinand of Bulgaria and the Bulgarian Princes Boris and Cyril. Subsequently the three monarchs passed some time in lively conversation.

A Budapest dispatch to the Cologne Gazette says that the Hungarian opposition is working hard to prevent Premier Tisza from assisting the Hungarian Cardinal at the coming coronation of Emperor Charles. The ground of the opposition's campaign is that Count Tisza is a Protestant. Efforts were made to influence the Cardinal, but he declared that the first official in the kingdom could not be pushed into the background at the coronation.

Will of Francis Joseph Opened.

LONDON, Nov. 29.—A Berne dispatch to The Wireless Press says that the will of Emperor Francis Joseph, which was opened the morning after his death to ascertain whether it contained directions for his funeral, was found to have in it a provision for a legacy of $250,000 to the actress, Katharine Schratt. This part of the will, the dispatch says, was dated some years back, while other clauses had been added during the war.

Princess Elizabeth, the Emperor's granddaughter, inherits the same amount.

Katharine Schratt, formerly of the Imperial Theatre, for years was an intimate of Emperor Francis Joseph. At Schönbrunn Castle Frau Schratt was accustomed to appear nearly every afternoon to keep the Emperor company for an hour or two. He in turn called at her own house, where he was able to meet friends of his own choosing, and not guests imposed on him by etiquette or reasons of state. The relations between the two continued in the Emperor's old age and became accepted in Vienna, where the severe criticism they caused in earlier years, before the death of the Empress, gradually died away.

President at Funeral Mass.

WASHINGTON, Nov. 29.—Pontifical high mass, celebrated by Cardinal Gibbons and attended by President Wilson, Secretary Lansing, Baron Zwiedinek, Chargé d'Affaires of Austria-Hungary; Count von Bernstorff, the German Ambassador; members of the staffs of the Austro-Hungarian and German Embassies, and a number of members of the Diplomatic Corps, was said here today in memory of Emperor Francis Joseph.

Local Service for Dead Emperor.

The Federation of Galician and Bucovinian Jews of America and the Federation of Hungarian Jews will hold a service in memory of Emperor Francis Joseph tonight in Cooper Union. Justice Gustave Hartman will speak.

GUNFIRE ON ANCRE IS MORE INTENSE

British Make Trench Raids at Several Points—French Repulse Small Attack.

LONDON, Nov. 29.—Both British and French official reports on the situation on the western front say that the artillery activity on both sides of the Ancre has increased in intensity. With the exception of French raids, however, there has been no infantry fighting. The British report this morning says:

We repulsed an enemy raid this morning south of Neuve Chapelle, and a hostile bombing attack east of Carency also failed. We carried out two successful raids east of Ypres, taking twenty-one prisoners.

Hostile artillery was active against Gueudecourt and our fronts on both banks of the Ancre. We bombarded the enemy lines at Bois de Bizet, north of Armentières.

The British afternoon reports reads:

There was intermittent enemy shelling in the neighborhood of Gueudecourt and south of the Ancre. Considerable trench mortar activity developed in the Mauquissart and Neuve Chapelle areas. Otherwise nothing of importance occurred.

The French afternoon report says:

There has been very considerable activity on the part of the opposing military forces south of the River Somme in the sectors north of Biaches and Pressoire.

On the remainder of the front the night passed quietly.

The bulletin issued this evening has this to add:

A German attack on one of our sentry posts at La Fille Morte, (Argonne,) was repulsed. Grenade fighting and interrupted cannonading occurred on the rest of the front, more actively in the sector of Douaumont and Vaux.

BERLIN, Nov. 29, (by Wireless to Sayville.) The British troops attacking near Givenchy, southwest of Lens, last night were repulsed, the War Office reports. The statement says:

Army Group of Crown Prince Rupprecht—An attack by a British company, launched during a fog near Givenchy, southwest of Lens, was a failure.

In the Somme sector the hostile fire north of the Ancre and on St. Pierre Vaast Wood increased during the evening hours.

MAN POWER BILL NOW UP.

Speech by Bethmann Hollweg to Introduce It in Reichstag.

BERLIN, Nov. 28, (via London, Nov. 29.)—The Man Power bill, providing for compulsory service of civilians for war purposes, will be introduced to the Reichstag tomorrow, (Wednesday,) with a speech by Chancellor von Bethmann Hollweg, pointing out the necessity of this sweeping measure. The Chancellor probably will give some assurances as to the way in which the law will be enforced—a subject in regard to which various parties in the Reichstag still cherish anxieties.

The bill, as introduced, undoubtedly will differ considerably from the draft recently published. The principle of the measure, that all able-bodied males between the ages of 18 and 60, not serving with the colors, are liable to labor service in the interests of the fatherland, will be unchanged, but it is uncertain even at this late hour just what form the control of the Reichstag over the execution of the law will assume.

This uncertainty would result normally in extended debates in the Reichstag, but with General Wan Lüdendorf, First Quartermaster General, declaring that the measure is an inevitable necessity, the Parliament is expected to make quick work of the measure.

SERBS DRIVE BULGARS FROM NEW POSITIONS

French and Italians Northwest of Monastir Push Forward Against Resistance.

LONDON, Nov. 29.—Serbian troops yesterday, continuing their progress, captured the height northwest of Grunishte, on the Macedonian front east of the Cerna River. A height east of Hill 1,050 also was captured. A violent battle is in progress northwest of Monastir. The French are advancing toward Hill 1,248. The Italians made progress in the region of Tarvena Stena height, west of Monastir.

Following is the communication from Serbian headquarters at Saloniki today:

Artillery fighting and isolated engagements occurred Tuesday along the whole front. In the region of Grunishte we carried several trenches, which were filled with dead. We captured some prisoners and a fairly large quantity of munitions.

Our aviators bombarded important military objects at Prilep.

The French official report reads:

On the left bank of the River Vardar British troops were successful in a surprise attack upon a trench of the enemy to the northeast of Macukovo. East of the River Cerna Serbian troops, after a brilliant advance, occupied a height to the northwest of Grunishte and retained this position in spite of furious German-Bulgarian counterattacks. The enemy suffered heavy losses without accomplishing anything.

In the region to the northeast of Monastir French Zouaves, continuing their successes, occupied a height to the east of Hill 1050.

To the northwest of Monastir there has been violent fighting, in the course of which our troops made progress in the direction of Hill 1248, which the enemy defended with great ferocity.

Italian forces also have made progress in the mountainous region of Tsrvena Stana.

BERLIN, Nov. 29, (by Wireless to Sayville.)—Only local attacks have been made on the Germano-Bulgarian lines on the Macedonian front by the Entente forces northwest and east of Monastir, the War Office announced today. The official statement says:

Macedonian front: The Entente offensive from the south, launched to relieve other forces, having failed, the enemy yesterday carried out only local attacks northwest of Monastir and near Grunishte, east of the Cerna. In these, likewise, they were unable to gain any advantage.

SOFIA, Nov. 28, (via London, Nov. 29.)—Heavy attacks by Entente forces on the Macedonian front, both in the Monastir region and in the Vardar Valley, were repulsed by German and Bulgarian troops, with extremely heavy losses to the attacking forces, the War Office announced today in the subjoined statement.

After violent artillery fire the enemy attacked several times on the front running from Tornova, northwest of Monastir, through Height No. 1,248, north of Monastir, Height No. 1,050, in the bend of the Cerna, and the height near the village of Grunishte. Repeated attacks along this whole front were sanguinarily repulsed by the Bulgarian and German troops, assisted by powerful artillery. The enemy losses were enormous, hundreds of bodies lying before our positions. In front of the sector of one battalion of the Fifty-first Infantry Regiment we counted more than 300 enemy bodies.

No less furious were the enemy attacks and artillery fire in the Vardar Valley. Here the enemy attacked with desperation our advanced position near Krchteki, near Lake Doiran, but was sanguinarily repulsed, leaving a great number of dead on the battlefield. We captured six machine guns, numerous rifles, and other material.

On the Belaschitza and Struma fronts there was lively artillery fire. Here also we counted 125 enemy bodies.

In a word, this day was the day of the most violent fighting on the Macedonian front.

Dr. John Balcom Shaw Installed.

ELMIRA, N. Y., Nov. 29.—Dr. John Balcom Shaw was formally inaugurated President of Elmira College for women here today. A notable gathering of educators, including many college Presidents and the New York State Board of Regents, attended the ceremonies.

Capt. Beith Tells of "Zep" Raid.

Captain Ian Hay Beith, author of "The First Hundred Thousand," told the members of the British War Relief Association, at 542 Fifth Avenue, yesterday afternoon, of London's thrills during the first Zeppelin raid. He exhibited a piece of tin that he said was part of the first "Zep" brought down in England.

WANTS RELIEF SUSPENDED.

Austria Asks Red Cross to Do No More in North Serbia.

Special to The New York Times.

WASHINGTON, Nov. 29.—The American Red Cross has been asked by the Austro-Hungarian Government to discontinue its relief work in Belgrade, capital of Serbia, and in other sections of the northern part of Serbia now occupied by troops of the Central Powers, as soon as the supplies now on hand have been distributed.

The request, sent to Washington through Ambassador Penfield at Vienna, did not state the reason for the action taken, although it expressed appreciation of what had been done by the Red Cross.

Eliot Wadsworth, Executive Chairman of the American Red Cross, said last night that newspaper dispatches gave the first information of the request by Austria-Hungary that American relief work in northern Serbia be discontinued.

"We have received no reason at all," said Mr. Wadsworth, "but it may be suspected that the Austrians, who are very busy in a military way in North Serbia just now, have found use for all of the transportation facilities for purposes other than relief work."

Mr. Wadsworth said that for weeks it had been known to the Red Cross officials that work in North Serbia would have to cease Dec. 1 unless some new source of supplies were found. He said that so far as he could say relief work in South Serbia would be continued.

THE NEWCASTLE NOT SUNK.

British Admiralty Denies Story That Cruiser Hit a Mine.

LONDON, Nov. 29.—Denial that the British cruiser Newcastle was sunk, as reported in a Berlin wireless dispatch on the strength of advices from Rotterdam, is made in an official statement issued this afternoon, as follows:

With reference to the statement in the German wireless today that the British cruiser Newcastle struck a mine on Nov. 15 and sank at the entrance to the Firth of Forth and that twenty-seven of her crew were killed and forty-five wounded, none of His Majesty's ships was mined or sunk during the week from Nov. 12 to Nov. 18 in the North Sea. The whole story with its circumstantial details, is a fabrication.

The Overseas News Agency dispatch reporting the sinking of the Newcastle reached this country last night.

SIX MORE SHIPS ARE SUNK.

Victims Include Greek, Spanish, and Norwegian Vessels.

LONDON, Nov. 29.—Lloyd's Shipping Agency today reported the sinking of the British steamships King Malcolm, 4,351 tons gross; Moresby, 1,763 tons gross; Maude Larsaen, 1,222 tons gross; the Norwegian steamship Perra, 888 tons net, and the Spanish steamship Luciense.

It was also announced here today that the Greek steamship Margherita, presumably the Margarita, of 1,112 tons gross, had been sunk by a submarine of the Central Powers in the Eastern Mediterranean. The passengers and crew of the Greek vessel were landed at Alexandria, Egypt.

Contraband on Steamer Reserv.

BERLIN, Nov. 29, (by Wireless to Sayville.)—The Berlin Zeitung am Mittag states that the cargo of the Swedish steamer Reserv, which vessel was brought into port by a German submarine, was contraband bound mostly for Rouen and that the vessel was seized in accordance with orders. The Mittag adds, says the Overseas News Agency, that Scandinavian reports that the Reserv was carrying a neutral cargo from one neutral port to another are incorrect.

French Recruits Men from Guiana.

BERLIN, Nov. 29, (by Wireless to Sayville.)—A correspondent of the Tägliche Rundschau, on the Somme front, says that the Entente Allies, in order to fill up gaps in their armies, are now recruiting in the French colonies in South America, in proof of this, he says that among the prisoners recently taken on the Somme are negroes from Cayenne, French Guiana.

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Daniels Awards the Contracts for 4 Battleships and 29 Submarines.

RUSH BUILDING PROGRAM

Department Considering Plans for Three 40,000-Ton Ships In 1918 Navy Bill.

WASHINGTON, Nov. 29.—Secretary Daniels awarded contracts today for more than $65,000,000 worth of new fighting ships for the navy, including four battleships at $11,000,000 each, two fleet submarines at approximately $1,190,000 each, and 27 coast submarines at from $694,000 to $698,000 each.

These vessels comprise the bulk of the great building program of sixty-six craft of various types for which appropriations were made at the last session of Congress. Bids for both battle cruisers will be received on Dec. 6, and for three scout cruisers on Jan. 3, with the hope of completing the task of getting all the ships under contract within the six months' limit set by Congress.

The House Naval Committee is now at work on the 1918 bill and early in the Spring the Department must find building facilities for at least three more battleships, one battle cruiser and a proportionate number of other craft remaining on the three-year construction program. The bill to be put through this winter for the navy will carry a total of nearly $40,000,000.

Contracts for two battleships each were awarded today to the New York Shipbuilding Company and the Newport News Shipbuilding and Dry Dock Company. Secretary Daniels announced that the companies had agreed to the Department's specifications calling for turbo-electric propulsion. It was this point which delayed the awards.

Three of the new submarines will be built by the California Shipbuilding Company of Long Beach, Cal., eighteen coast and one 850-ton fleet submersible by the Electric Boat Company of New York, and six small boats and one 850-ton vessel by the Lake Torpedo Boat Company of Bridgeport, Conn.

The new battleships will be sister ships of the California and Tennessee, now under construction, except that they will be fitted to carry eight 16-inch rifles instead of twelve 14-inch. They will displace about 32,500 tons.

The Department now is considering plans for the 1918 ships, three in number, with indications that they will be of 40,000 tons displacement, carry twelve 16-inch guns, and make 23 to 24 knots an hour instead of 21 knots, the present battleship standard of the navy.

The two fleet submarines will be of the so-called 500-ton type and similar in size to the German U-53, which called recently at Newport, R. I., before making a raid on allied commerce off Nantucket. A third boat of this size will be laid down at the Portsmouth Navy Yard, where the L-8 is nearing completion. The type is experimental, and for comparison with the 1,300-ton Schley, now being built for the navy with a required surface speed of 20 knots, against 16 for the 800-ton type. The coast submarines will range between 475 and 550 tons, according to design, being substantially similar to the most recent submersibles of the L class completed for the navy.

FRANCE TAXES BIG STORES.

Exacts 1 to 5 Per Cent. of Their Annual Profits.

PARIS, Nov. 29.—The Senate, which is debating the Income Tax bill, has adopted a clause taxing the profits of large stores of which the annual turnover exceeds 2,000,000 francs.

The tax is 1 per cent. on profits on turnovers from 2,000,000 to 5,000,000, 2 per cent. up to 50,000,000, 3 from 50,000,000 to 100,000,000, 4 from 100,000,000 to 200,000,000, 5 above 200,000,000.

An amendment proposing an all-round tax of 2 per cent. was rejected. Minister of Finance Ribot said that this would be hard on the smaller big stores. In this connection he mentioned a big unnamed store which paid the State 358,000 francs as license fee on a turnover of 232,000,000 francs. Under the new scheme this store would pay 480,000 francs.

Thanksgiving Day in London.

Special Cable to THE NEW YORK TIMES.

LONDON, Nov. 29.—Ambassador Page will eat his Thanksgiving turkey at home tomorrow, with several attachés of the embassy and their wives as guests. The Ambassador has been unable to leave the house for several days owing to straining his ankle while playing golf. He will be confined until the end of the week. The embassy will be closed tomorrow. There is no American public function in London over the national feast day.

Eddy Brown's Sonata Recital.

Mr. Eddy Brown's recital yesterday afternoon in Aeolian Hall has a higher purpose than most of the violin recitals of the season. It was devoted to the performance of sonatas for pianoforte and violin, in which Mr. Brown was assisted by L. T. Grunberg, pianist. They played Brahms's sonata in D minor, Op. 108, Mozart's in A major, and Beethoven's in A, Op. 47, dedicated to Kreutzer and called by his name. Both players showed taste and intelligence in the playing of such ensemble music, and gave pleasure to a fair sized audience.

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HEARING ON 86TH ST. TRACKS

Residents of East and West Sides to Confer and Report.

A public hearing was held by the Franchise Committee of the Board of Estimate yesterday on the application of the New York Railways Company for a two-track railway in Eighty-sixth Street, from Central Park West to Broadway. As an alternative the committee suggested that a single track be built in Eighty-sixth Street, then south in Broadway, and east on Eighty-third Street, to Central Park West and north to Eighty-sixth Street. Residents and property owners in Eighty-sixth Street objected to any car line, while residents of the east side objected to the proposed loop.

A proposition was then made by the west siders to build a subway through West Eighty-sixth Street by assessment, the east siders to pay their share of the cost. The east siders objected and it was decided to have residents of the two regions confer next Tuesday and report to the committee.

MOVIE STARS IN PROCESSION

Exhibitors' League Holds Its Annual Ball in Madison Square Garden.

The movie horde overran Madison Square Garden last night and danced amid the glories that formed the background for the dance of the Ten Allies the night before. It was the annual ball of the National Exhibitors' League and in addition to the movie folk the affair was attended by about 5,000 persons who came to star gaze. The different companies were assigned boxes in which their principal stars braved the stares of the crowd and there was a constant procession of stars about the arena to megaphone accompaniment.

Some of the favorites who attended were Anita Stewart, Earle Williams, Pearl White, Alice Brady, Muriel Ostriche, Francis X. Bushman, Florence Reed, Beverly Bayne, Florence La Badie, Grace Darling, and Maurice Costello. The problem of who should lead the grand march, which began at midnight, was solved by having a dozen couples at the head of as many parallel lines.

WILL CURB EVANGELISTS.

Federal Council of Churches of Christ Against Sensational Methods.

Special to the New York Times.

ST. LOUIS, Mo., Nov. 29.—Evangelists probably will be regulated, shorn of publicity-making hobbies, and put on a salary basis by the Federal Council of Churches of Christ in America, which meets in St. Louis next week. The hobbies which have made the names of some evangelists household words in American homes and has turned a golden stream into their pockets have met much criticism. Hence, the sentiment for regulating them.

The regulation will be brought about by the simple process of refusing to recommend the slogan-slinging and vaudevillian evangelists who do not recognize the standards set by the Federal Council. The generosity of audiences aroused by temporary religious enthusiasm has brought much money to evangelists whose methods of appeal have been sensational.

ANDREW C. LOUDON MISSING.

Wife, Bereft of Son Since Disappearance, Appeals to Police.

Andrew C. Loudon, 130 Thirteenth Street, Flushing, 35 years old, an editor who did work for railroad magazines and had an office in the Woolworth Building, has been missing since Nov. 14. In the general alarm that has been sent out he is described as 5 feet 11 inches tall, 150 pounds, gray eyes, and black hair. When last seen he wore a light green suit, and had just left his office to go to Philadelphia.

Mrs. Loudon, who is overcome with grief which was increased yesterday by the death of her son, Allen, 3½ years old, said her husband was a graduate of McGill University, Montreal, and was at one time in the employ of the Canadian Pacific, and the Delaware & Hudson Railroads. She fears he may have lost his memory and be wandering somewhere in Canada.

DEATH STOPS ELEVATED.

Woman's Body Under Truck Ties Up Both 6th and 9th Ave. Trains.

Traffic on the Sixth and Ninth Avenue elevated lines was blocked more than an hour last night while a wrecking crew worked to remove the body of an unidentified woman wedged under the forward truck of the first car of a Ninth Avenue local. No trains moved northward from 10:35 to 11:40, and during half of that period traffic south came to a standstill also because there were no trains uptown to send out.

The woman ran across the tracks from the direction of the downtown station, at Ninety-ninth Street, and stepped in front of the train before it could be stopped. She wore a brown dress and brown coat, and a black hat with white ostrich feathers. She appeared to have been about 35 years old. The maker's tags had been cut from her clothing. The police said it was a case of suicide.

CROWN COUNCIL BACKS GREEK KING

Opposes Entente Demand for Surrender of Army's Guns and Ammunition.

VENEZELISTS FEAR ENEMIES

Their Houses and Shops in Athens Marked by Reservists—Signs Seen by French Admiral.

LONDON, Nov. 29.—The Greek Crown Council has voted to support the Government in opposing the Allies' demands for the surrender of arms and munitions, according to an Athens dispatch to Reuter's of yesterday's date. The dispatch says this decision was reached after a session of an hour and a half which was presided over by King Constantine.

According to other advices the greatest uneasiness prevails among adherents of M. Venizelos in the Greek capital, who, although reported to be strong in numbers, are virtually unarmed. It is feared serious harm may come to them through some sudden outbreak of rioting.

Vice Admiral du Fournet, Commander of the allied squadron in Greek waters, made a tour of inspection about the city on Monday morning and observed glaring circles of red paint with which loyalists during the night had marked houses and shops belonging to persons whom they regarded as hostile. The Mayor's house was one building thus marked.

Admiral du Fournet visited the Mayor later in the day and spoke of measures proposed for the protection of the supporters of M. Venizelos, particulars regarding which have not been published. It is reported in responsible quarters that the Admiral will occupy Athens if any excesses should be attempted, but that the supporters of the Venizelos party are not satisfied, demanding measures to render excesses impossible.

Text of German Protest on Expulsion.

Special to The New York Times.

WASHINGTON, Nov. 29.—The German Embassy today made public the text of the communication which Count von Bernstorff, the German Ambassador, delivered, by instruction of his Government, to the State Department last Friday, protesting against the action of the French commander of the Entente allied forces in Greek waters and ordering the diplomatic representatives of the Central Powers to leave Greek territory immediately. The communication follows:

"Washington, Nov. 24, 1916.

"Mr. Secretary: The French commander of the naval forces of the Entente in the Greek waters has notified the envoys of Germany, Austria-Hungary, Turkey, and Bulgaria that they had to leave Greek territory immediately, with the staff of their legations and of the consulates.

"The German Empire most emphatically protests against this contempt of international law of the free will of a neutral country and of the most elementary rules of international courtesy and civilization.

"Acting under instructions from the Imperial Government I have the honor to request your Excellency to forward this protest to the British Government.

"Accept, Excellency, the renewed assurances of my highest consideration.

"J. BERNSTORFF."

WAR NURSE HERE TO WED.

Fiance, W. H. Nagle, to Give Her $100,000 for Tubercular Home.

After serving for two years in a British base hospital at Boulogne, France, Miss Marion Milne of Erie, Penn., returned yesterday on the Anchor liner Tuscania to marry William H. Nagle of Chicago, who was at the pier to meet her.

They were engaged long before the war and would have been married, but Miss Milne would not agree unless Mr. Nagle had $100,000 to start a tubercular home for children. She went to France and he speculated in war stocks so successfully that a month ago he wrote to his fiancée and told her she could have the $100,000 for her pet hobby if she would return to Chicago and marry him.

Buys Site for Freedman Home.

Ninety-five lots on the Grand Boulevard and Concourse, just east of Jerome Avenue, the Bronx, have been purchased for $375,000 as the site for the Home for Aged Men and Women, for which Andrew Freedman bequeathed from $5,000,000 to $7,000,000. The property includes a large tract formerly owned by Henry Maillard, the confectioner. Construction work starts soon. Samuel Untermyer, President of the trustees, and other members of the committee selected the tract. One-half of $5,000,000 left by Mr. Freedman is available now. The other half of Mr. Freedman's estate was left in trust to his mother and sister, but on their deaths the entire amount will revert for the use of the home.

NEW HAMPSHIRE LEAD CUT.

Official Returns, Complete, Give State to Wilson by 56 Votes.

CONCORD, N. H., Nov. 29.—The plurality for Wilson electors in New Hampshire has been reduced from 63 to 56 by corrected official returns. The recount of the State's vote, petitioned by Republican leaders, is scheduled to begin Monday.

AUGUSTA, Me., Nov. 29.—The official vote of the Presidential election in Maine as announced by the Governor and council today, was: Hughes, 69,506; Wilson, 64,118; Benson, 2,186, and Hanly, 505.

PROVIDENCE, R. I., Nov. 29.—The official count of the ballots cast for President in Rhode Island, shows that Hughes, received 44,858 votes, Wilson, 40,394; Hanly, 470, and Benson, 1,914.

Special to The New York Times.

COLUMBUS, Ohio, Nov. 29.—The State canvassing board announced today that Wilson's plurality in Ohio was 90,110. The Wilson vote was 604,946 as against 514,836 for Judge Hughes. Mr. Wilson has the distinction of receiving more votes in this State than were ever cast for a candidate for President. In 1904 Theodore Roosevelt received 600,095 votes.

MARRIES DU PONT LEE.

Civil Ceremony Unites Miss Shaw and Descendant of Southerner.

Maurice du Pont Lee, a descendant of General Robert E. Lee of Virginia and a nephew of A. I. du Pont of the du pont Powder Company, and Miss Geraldine Shaw, daughter of Mrs. Eugene Shaw of 130 East Sixty-seventh Street, were married yesterday in the chapel of the Marriage License Bureau. A religious ceremony is to follow on Tuesday at the Broadway Tabernacle. The civil wedding was held to enable Mr. and Mrs. Lee as man and wife to obtain passports to sail for England on Wednesday on the steamer Ryndam.

Mrs. Lee is a graduate of Vassar. For several years she had been active in social service work connected with the Broadway Tabernacle. The family home until the death of her father, who amassed a fortune in the lumber business, was at Eau Claire, Wis. Mr. Lee is a graduate of Cornell University and is a civil engineer at the du Pont plant at Wilmington, Del.

EDISON CO. DEFIES P. S. C.

Will Not Reduce Brooklyn Rates for Light as Ordered.

Sixteen reasons were filed with the Public Service Commission yesterday by the Edison Electric Illuminating Company of Brooklyn, in its request for a rehearing on the commission's order of Oct. 27, reducing its maximum rate for electricity from 11 to 8 cents a kilowatt hour. The order was to go into effect tomorrow, but the company announced it would not obey it.

Among the reasons cited are that the rate fixed is unreasonable, and that in valuing the company's property the commission erred in not including operating expenses of $4,000,000.

The commission has decided to begin an investigation on Dec. 11 into the rate of 13 cents a kilowatt hour, charged by the Queensborough Gas & Electric Company, in order to determine whether it should be reduced. The company serves the Rockaway section of Queens, as well as several sections outside of the city limits.

ASSAIL MR. SCHIFF AS THE ALLIES' FOE

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Commons on the case of Bertrand Russell indicated the temper of Parliament, and the feeling of the public may be gathered from the remark of a sagacious London newspaper editor that his readers would wonder what had happened if any article concerning peace should appear in his columns in the existing circumstances.

Attack on Jacob H. Schiff.

While the majority of the London and provincial newspapers are content to keep silence on peace topics, the Northcliffe press today made its chief feature a denunciation of Jacob H. Schiff's American Neutral Conference Committee. Cablegrams conveying extracts from comments of THE NEW YORK TIMES and other New York papers and from the speech of James M. Beck have sufficiently indicated American opinion of Mr. Schiff's proposal. Lord Northcliffe considers it of such importance that The Times and The Daily Mail devote leading editorials to the subject, besides publishing a long article by D. Thomas Curtin representing Mr. Schiff as "a deadly enemy of the Allies" and an arch-intriguer on behalf of Germany.

Incidentally THE TIMES expresses dissatisfaction with Lord Grey for sending a message to the League to Enforce Peace asserting that "There is no room for any association under present conditions whatever between the Ministers of the Allies and the kind of league which has been so promptly misused in America."

The Daily Mail goes further and expresses doubt whether "Viscount Grey will be able to defeat" the maneuvers of such clever men as Jacob H. Schiff and James Speyer.

"What we have to ask," it says, "is whether Viscount Grey of Falloden is wide awake and energetic enough to deal with these astute old gentlemen. Is the Foreign Office, after being fooled for months by King Constantine, and after being bluffed by Ferdinand of Bulgaria, capable of holding its own with two of the clearest and ablest brains in the United States?"

The Curtin article, which is published in both of Lord Northcliffe's papers, is headed in The Times: "The Men Behind the United States Peace Intrigue; Mr. Schiff's Aims a Danger to the Allies," and in The Daily Mail: "Schiff a Deadly Enemy of the Allies; How He Works with Speyer and Nathan," and while the article acknowledges that Mr. Schiff throughout the war has claimed to do neither pro-German nor pro-Ally, its whole suggestion is that indicated by the headlines.

Mr. Curtin details Mr. Schiff's family and financial connections, saying in reference to two of his partners in Kuhn, Loeb & Co. that "his son, Mortimer L. Schiff, and Otto H. Kahn, the latter a British subject, are regarded as outspokenly British. I have been reliably informed," adds Mr. Curtin, "that they practically required Jacob H. Schiff and the other partners to agree early in the war to enter into no transaction such as loans which could accrue to the benefit of Germany or her allies during the war."

Mr. Curtin next suggests that Paul Warburg's membership in the Federal Reserve Board "confers on Kuhn, Loeb & Co. at Washington an influence on government policy and national finance enjoyed by no other banking institution in the country."

After remarking that "it is significant that one of Mr. Schiff's coadjutors on the American Neutral Conference Committee has been looked upon as one of President Wilson's most trusted counselors—Oswald Garrison Villard," (parenthetically it must be mentioned that The Times editorial, in discussing Mr. Schiff's associates, refers to "Villard, formerly Kilgard,") Mr. Curtin devotes a paragraph to James Speyer, "the friend of Bernstorff and Münsterberg."

The writer then asserts that "Mr. Schiff's self-assumed position as leader of American Jewry is not unconditionally acknowledged by all his brethren," and, citing Dr. Stephen S. Wise as pro-Ally, he adds: "There are thousands of American Jews like him; one is Adolph S. Ochs, the owner of THE NEW YORK TIMES, which many people consider the most effective champion the Allied cause has had, or has, in the United States."

"Deserves Unremitting Attention."

In conclusion Mr. Curtin writes:

"I have merely hinted at a few circumstances which suggest the wisdom of not ignoring Mr. Schiff's peace movement. It has long been his ambition to bask in the limelight in the same way as Mr. Carnegie has done. Today the opportunity is presented to him—or rather he has presented it to himself—to appear in the guise of a world philanthropist. He divines a chance not only to bestow blessings upon the sorely distressed land of his birth but incidentally to reap great glory for the land of his adoption, while at the same time bringing the priceless boon of peace to all the warring peoples. It is a seductive possibility for a man of Mr. Schiff's attainments, wealth, and temperament, and his prosecution of it, his chase after what may now seem an iridescent chimera, deserves, in my judgment, the most unremitting attention which allied diplomacy is capable of devoting to it."

ASKS ABOUT PEACE 'INTRIGUE.'

Unionist M. P.'s Request for Statement Dodged by Bonar Law.

LONDON, Nov. 29.—Ronald McNeill, Unionist Member of Parliament for the East Division of Kent, asked the Government in the House of Commons today "whether, with the view to the discovery of intrigues in America or elsewhere having the intention of bringing about peace before the declared objects of the Allies are attained," it would be possible to make a declaration that no question of even temporary cessation of military operations could be entertained so long as German troops remained in occupation of any territory of the Allies.

A. Bonar Law, Secretary for the Colonies, replying for Premier Asquith, who is confined to his home with a cold, said the question was one for the Allies to consider in concert, and that until it was so considered he could not make any statement except that "the Allies whose territory is occupied by the enemy may be assured of full support of the British Government." Mr. Law added that he doubted the advisability of making an announcement such as Mr. McNeill suggested, because it might be taken as meaning that "that is all we are asking for."

CHILDREN PEACE PLEADERS.

Delegation of Eight from City to Ask Wilson to Stop the War.

Eight children, whose ages range from 9 to 12 years, will leave tomorrow morning for Washington to present to President Wilson a plea from the American Forum of the East Side that he use "the power of his high office now to bring about a cessation of hostilities in Europe." This was decided on at a meeting of more than 600 representative citizens of the lower east side, which took place at Public School 4, Rivington and Pitt Street, last night.

Justice Gustave Hartman of the Municipal Court, and Harry H. Schlacht of the East Side Protective Association, spoke, demanding that the United States halt the slaughter in Europe and insist that a condition be established which would make a repetition of the war impossible. He also asked that such action be taken as to give the Jews an adequate representation in any peace conference in order that religious, civic, and political liberty be assured to that race in the future, even if the Christian nations could not be induced to allow them to re-establish an independent nation in Palestine.

Mr. Schlacht argued for an embargo on food and other necessities as a means of stopping the war. His remarks were greeted with enthusiasm.

A Dance at the Catholic Club.

A Thanksgiving Eve dance was held last night at the Catholic Club, 120 Central Park South, and was attended by the three hundred members of the club and their guests. Supper was served at midnight.

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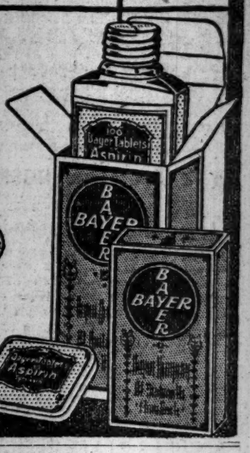

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Including the season's handsomest models of broadcloth, velour and velvet-and-cloth compose; in both the vivid and dark French colorings, with rich collars and bandings of Hudson seal, raccoon or mole. Sizes 14 to 18.

Misses' Serge Frocks.....*Specially Priced at* 16.50
Youthful belted and surplice models of serge or serge-and-taffeta, embroidery trimmed. Sizes 14 to 18.

Misses' Frocks.....*Formerly up to 39.50* 20.00
Chic models of serge, wool jersey and charmeuse, in fashionable bright or dark tones; many embroidered or fur-trimmed. Sizes 14 to 18.

"Flapper" Dresses.....*Formerly up to 16.50* 7.95
Belted and sashed frocks of serge, cashmere, mohair and fancy checks; including some three-piece models with washable blouse. Sizes 12 to 16.

"Flapper" Suits.....*Formerly up to 35.00* 18.50
Of broadcloth, gabardine and check velour, with fur-edged velvet collars. Sizes 12 to 16.

"Flapper" Coats.....*Formerly up to 37.50* 22.50
Broadcloth and velour models, many fur trimmed. Sizes 12 to 16.

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These suits have been taken from the regular stock and represent the season's most fashionable modes, plain tailleur and lavishly fur trimmed models.

Women's Suits.....*Formerly 35.00 to 45.00* 25.00
of broadcloth and velour, plain tailored and fur trimmed models.

Women's Suits.....*Formerly 49.50 to 59.50* 38.00
of broadcloth, velour, velveteen and mannish fabrics.

Women's Suits.....*Formerly 65.00 to 110.00* 55.00
of velveteen, Bolivia, velour, broadcloth and mannish novelties.

Women's Suits.....*Formerly 85.00 to 125.00* 75.00
Luxurious fur trimmed velvet, velours and Bolivia Suits.

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Formerly up to 59.50
A collection of about two hundred one-piece serge dresses in the season's most fashionable types. In all serge, serge-and-satin, serge-and-Georgette crepe. Many handsomely embroidered and beaded.

Sale of Women's Daytime Coats

Fur Trimmed Cloth Velour Coats
Full, loose belted coats for street, motor and general utility wear. Made of soft finished velour in all the favored shadings. Cloth Collars and cuffs of fur. 29.50

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Bolivia coats in the season's smart silhouettes—without fur trimming. Distinctive velour cloth coats in all the new shadings with deep fur collars. 45.00

Special Sale of Women's Fur Coats

French Seal Coats
Loose box model, 45 inches long. Made of select dyed coney pelts. 65.00

Trim'd Hudson Seal Coats
Smart model, 40 inches long, of dyed muskrat pelts. Natural skunk collar. 95.00

Trim'd Hudson Seal Coats
Flare model, 42 inches long, with large skunk collar and cuffs. 125.00

Bordered Hudson Seal Coats
Six-inch skunk border and cape collar. 45-inch long model. 145.00

Hudson Seal Coats
Fitted flare model, 45 inches long, large sailor collar, deep cuffs. 165.00

Bordered Mole Coats
Full loose model, 45 inches long, with border, collar and cuffs of taupe wolf. 295.00

THANKSGIVING EVE SEES TURKEYS DROP

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yesterday. Those selling at the Wallabout Market at $5.25 a barrel last week were $4.50 a barrel yesterday.

INQUIRY BY FIVE MAYORS.

Burns Will Name Committee to Assail High Food Prices.

TROY, Nov. 29.—Five Mayors, representing the northern, southern, western, eastern, and central sections of New York State, will be appointed by Mayor Burns Friday to act as a Special Investigating Committee to take up the high cost of foodstuffs, according to an announcement made by the Mayor tonight upon his return from New York. He said Mayor Mitchel of New York and Mayor Lunn of Schenectady would be included.

"We want men who will go into this with spirit and who are willing to devote their efforts to breaking combinations which are causing the prices to soar," he said.

Secretary William P. Capes of the New York Mayors' Conference is to meet Mayor Burns in this city Friday. The proposed Committee of Mayors will meet in New York early next week. Government food experts and economists will attend.

Mayor Burns says it is intended first to "break" the egg market and then go after other foodstuffs, "if by that time those responsible for conditions do not read the handwriting on the wall and come to the realization that we mean business."

FOOD EMBARGO PLAN ROUSES OPPOSITION

Mann and Borland Both See Harm in Such a Method of Combating Cost of Living.

Special to The New York Times.

WASHINGTON, Nov. 29.—Representative Mann of Illinois, Republican leader of the House, and Representative Borland of Missouri, went on record today as opposed to Representative Fitzgerald's plan for an embargo on foodstuffs. Mr. Borland and Representative McLemore of Texas each have a substitute proposal for a scheme to reduce the cost of living.

Mr. Mann said the embargo would not be a remedy for the high prices of foodstuffs. He called it a "Socialistic measure," saying that an embargo for retaliatory purposes might be justified, but not one to regulate prices.

"The country is not ready for regulation of prices by the Government," he added, "and that is what a food embargo would mean. Government regulation of other things would inevitably follow, and the eventual result would be the extinction of individual initiative."

Mr. Borland wants an investigation by the Federal Trade Commission or a Congressional committee to determine whether or not prices are being manipulated by a "food trust." He will introduce a resolution calling for an inquiry into the possible use of cold storage plants by speculators.

Mr. McLemore, known as author of the resolution to warn Americans off armed merchantmen, favors the proposed embargo, but has a further scheme, which involves requiring all persons who store foodstuffs in cold storage plants to dispose of at least 10 per cent. of their stock at the end of every thirty days.

Representative Fitzgerald said that he would have two bills ready for introduction Monday, bearing on the proposed embargo.

FOODS ADVANCE 16 PER CENT.

Federal Figures Show 3 Per Cent. of This Rise in a Month.

WASHINGTON, Nov. 29.—Retail prices of foods in the United States advanced 3 per cent. from Sept. 15 to Oct. 15, making a 16 per cent. increase for twelve months, according to reports compiled today by the Bureau of Labor statistics. The figures came from 725 retail dealers in forty-five principal cities.

Meats declined in thirty days from 1 to 6 per cent., but all other articles except tea, coffee, and rice advanced from 1 per cent. for hens to 6 per cent. for butter, bread, and sugar, and 11 per cent. for eggs. The statistics show these decreases: Sirloin steak, 3 per cent.; round steak, 4 per cent.; rib roast, 3 per cent.; chuck roast, 2 per cent.; plate boiling beef, 1 per cent.; pork chops, 6 per cent.

Price increases: Bacon, 1 per cent.; lard, 5 per cent.; eggs, 11 per cent.; butter, 6 per cent.; cheese, 5 per cent.; milk, 3 per cent.; bread, 6 per cent.; flour, 11 per cent.; cornmeal, 4 per cent.; potatoes, 4 per cent.; onions, 4 per cent.; beans, 2 per cent.; prunes, 1 per cent.; sugar, 6 per cent.

Tables giving price increases for twelve months show potatoes led all foods, with an increase of 75 per cent., and beans came next, with 55 per cent.

Prices of meat animals—hogs, cattle, sheep, and chickens—paid to producers (not retail prices) increased moderately during the month from Oct. 15 to Nov. 15. The increase was six-tenths of 1 per cent. for the month, compared with an average decrease of 4.7 per cent. in the same period in the last six years.

NO POTATOES FOR HOSPITAL

Flushing Students, Deterred by High Cost, Give Substitutes.

In past years, until the cost of living reached a high altitude, it was a custom for the pupils of the Flushing schools to contribute at least one potato each for the local hospital. This year, however, in view of the high cost of potatoes, the students were requested to bring anything that could add to the larder of the institution.

Yesterday was donation day, in accordance with the custom. The list of contributions was made up of cereals, soups, corn starch, crackers, rice, canned vegetables, and macaroni.

ACCUSES STATE OFFICIALS

Wicks Committee Told Department Fails to Protect Public.

Paul E. Taylor, Secretary of the New York Milk Committee, who attacked the State Department of Agriculture in his testimony before the Wicks Legislative Committee yesterday, said there were diseased cows in 80 per cent. of the herds in this State. He said the figures published by the State Department of Agriculture as to disease in cattle were incorrect. The present system he called an incentive to crooked dairy practices, and the work of the State Department, he said, had been a disappointment to those favoring modern and sanitary dairy methods.

"One highly necessary law for the protection of the public," he said, "has been an amendment to the Sanitary Code defining what may be sold as ice cream. That there is no such formula in the statutes is due to the successful opposition of the ice cream manufacturers to such legislation."

Dr. Charles E. North of the National Commission of Milk Standards called sore throat "the great American disease," and said it was caused by milk from diseased cows. Tonsilitis and rheumatism, he said, were spread largely by the same cause. He gave several instances of septic sore throat epidemics which had been traced to raw milk from herds not properly cared for.

Charles P. Droste, a dealer in butter and eggs, of 177 Duane Street, said that three years ago egg prices were just as high as today and that this feature of the cost of living was not due to speculation.

"Three years ago," he said, "the shortage in this country was such that it was necessary to import eggs from Russia, Galicia, Holland, Austria, Germany and England—sources of supply which are not open to us this year. The butter supply was also inadequate.

"Those who think that butter prices are due to sepculators," he continued, "should look over the world's markets. Butter is just as expensive today in Buenos Aires and New Zealand as it is here."

Mr. Droste said the eggs in cold storage were sufficient to last only until Feb. 1, and that he had been amused by statements of public officials that the holders should be made to disgorge, inasmuch as their disgorging now would mean that eggs would almost disappear in the latter part of the Winter and would be sold at prices soaring far above the present ones.

Appeal for Needy Widows.

The Widowed Mothers Fund Association of 190-194 Bowery is sending out appeals for aid on behalf of the following cases: The father of six children died in a city hospital leaving his family destitute, the eldest child being under 12 years and the baby less than 18 months old. A window cleaner fell from an insecure window sill and was brought home dead. He left a widow and three small children destitute. A consumptive mother with one sick child and two other children to support is very much in need of help. The husband died in 1912 and the little insurance money has all been used to purchase the necessities of life for the widow and her children.

CHANGES PROHIBITION WORK

Dr. Empringham Leaves Anti-Saloon League for Church Field.

Announcement was made last night that the Rev. Dr. James Empringham had resigned as Superintendent of the metropolitan district of the Anti-Saloon League of New York to become Secretary of the Church Temperance Society of the Protestant Episcopal Church.

Dr. Empringham said, however, he would co-operate with the Anti-Saloon League in urging the next session of the State Legislature to pass an optional prohibition bill. He added that he resigned as rector of St. Paul's Episcopal Church of Syracuse about a year ago to influence the Episcopal Church organization here to support prohibition, and that the New York diocese recently had committed itself to the support of an optional prohibition bill.

Name Harbor Congress Delegates.

The Bronx Board of Trade announced last night that these delegates had been selected for the thirteenth annual convention of the National Rivers and Harbors Congress, which will meet in Washington, D. C., from Dec. 6 to 8. Eugene H. Rosenquest, President; Olin J. Stephens, Albert Goldman, Edward B. Boynton, Willard R. Messenger, Alexander Haring, J. Harris Jones, William H. Bolton, James Brackenridge, J. R. Pollock, the Rev. J. Emerson Zeiter, Herbert A. Knox, Robert J. Moorehead, William A. Newman, William J. Gemeiner, Walter H. Warren, Maurice Muller, Henry Bruckner, Murray Hulbert, William S. Bennet, and Charles E. Reid, Secretary.

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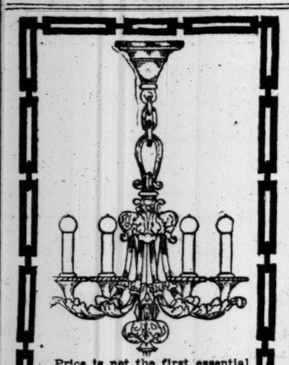
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of suede velour, velour de laine, broadcloth or velveteen, with large fur collars.
39.50
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Tailored or embroidered models
Of navy blue English serge, strictly tailored or embroidered.
13.50
Heretofore $18.50 to $29.50
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Dressy or tailored models of crepe meteor, satin, charmeuse or crepe de chine.
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Formerly to $39.50
18.50
In Bolivia, Velour and Broadcloth, many handsomely fur trimmed; most of them are silk or satin lined throughout and warmly interlined. A few are part lined; in all the favored colors.
High Cost Winter Coats
Former Prices to $79.50
39.50
Silk Chiffon Velvet, Bolivia, Wool Velour, Broadcloth, Duvetyn, richly fur trimmed; one, two or three of a kind.
Fur Trimmed Suits
Former Prices to $39.50
18.50
Of Velour, Broadcloth and Gabardine, handsomely fur trimmed, in Burgundy, plum, brown, green, navy and black; coats are silk lined and warmly interlined.
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MISS LAW TO CIRCLE STATUE OF LIBERTY

Aviatrice Who Made Flight from Chicago Will Help Dedicate Lighting Plant.

SHE WON'T DO ANY 'STUNTS'

Her Aeroplane Will Carry Electric Lights and Magnesium Torches.

Miss Ruth Law, who established an American cross-country record of 590 miles for an aeroplane flight by her recent trip fom Chicago to this city, has volunteered her services and will take part in the celebration on Saturday evening when the Statue of Liberty will be lighted by the new flood light system installed by popular subscription directed by The New York World. Miss Law's part will be to circle about the statue in the air, and she will fly the same little machine that brought her here from Chicago.

The girl flier will go up from Governors Island shortly before President Wilson gives the signal which will flood the statue with its new light. She will make a little journey down the bay and try to time her flight so that she may be close to the statue when the light is turned on. Her machine will be totally dark, its presence betrayed only by the whirr of the engine and propeller. But when the statue is illuminated, the word "Liberty," in electric bulbs beneath her machine, will be seen circling around it.

For a moment she will fly without other illumination, but presently she intends to ignite ten magnesium flares which will throw streams of white fire for fifty feet back of her aeroplane and across its whole twenty-eight feet of width. Uusually, when her craft is thus decorated, Miss Law is accustomed to loop the loop and dart and dive about in the air, but Saturday evening she won't do this.

"This will be a dignified flight," she said last evening. "President Wilson will be present, and my part in the ceremonies will be just a small one. I shan't do any stunts."

All told, Miss Law said, she expects to be in the air about fifteen minutes, and after a few circles about the statue she will land again on Governors Island.

Nearly every body else would be thrilled at the prospect of such an experience, but Miss Law is much more concerned about her forthcoming appearance on the stage. She is booked for a week at the Palace Theatre, beginning Dec. 11, and it will be her first venture back of the footlights.

"I'm sure I shall have stage fright," she said last night. "I don't know yet just what I am going to do, but I'm pretty certain I won't talk much. My machine will be exhibited, the same little aeroplane I flew from Chicago and I will wear the same costume I wore on the trip. There'll be some one to introduce me. I don't know who, but I guess he'll have to do most of the talking."

Lower Broadway, City Hall Plaza, Park Row, and Lafayette Street will be especially lighted Saturday night, as will Fifth Avenue from Washington Square to Thirty-fourth Street. About the Waldorf, where President Wilson will dine, will be a circle of lighted pylons, and over the entrance a huge American flag, electrically lighted. There will be a parade from the Battery to the Waldorf of illuminated automobiles. Dock Commissioner R. A. C. Smith announced that a fleet of special ferryboats for sightseers would ply between the Battery and Richmond, S. I.

OPERA FOR THE EAST SIDE.

Carlo Nicosia's Singers to be Principally Young Americans.

Opera at popular prices, the artists to be young American singers for the most part, to play alternate weeks in a theatre on Second Avenue and in the Bronx, it was announced yesterday, by Carlo Nicosia, well known as a conductor in musical circles, will be established in this city within three or four weeks. Signor Nicosia said yesterday that he would not announce the name of the threatre where his company would play as several contracts were hanging fire, but that the Manhattan one would in all probability be in Second Avenue or at any rate in a foreign section of the city.

"My aim," he said, "is to give a chance to young American composers to have their work produced after the company and the organization is well on its feet, and to give young Americans an opportunity to be heard in opera. In foreign sections of the city there are hundreds of persons who have been clamoring for complete opera in a small way, and it is to meet this demand that I have set about to form this company."

Signor Nicosia said that the company would produce several novelties and give the public a chance to hear operas which have never been heard here. "Il Fuoriuscito," by Giuseppe Ferrata, would be produced as well, he said. At the outset he said the operas would be Italian.

PHILIPP AT THE YORKVILLE.

He Appears in Poses of Late Emperor Francis Joseph—Two Farces.

Adolph Philipp made his first appearance with the German stock company at the Yorkville Theatre in a new bill presented last night. Mr. Philipp's contribution to the program was a series of poses representing the late Emperor Francis Joseph in various moods. In connection with these Mr. Philipp gave a dramatic reading of an original poem extolling the virtues of the dead monarch.

A one-act farce by Ludwig Mertens, entitled "Familie Feldman" ("The Feldman Family"), and a farce in two acts, "Ein Gemütsmensch" ("A Person of Sentiment"), by Georg Okonkowsky, completed the program. The former was the more genuinely amusing because it was less preposterous. If it is not the playlet on which Frank Mandel based his farce, "The High Cost of Living," in which Lew Fields was seen at the Republic two years ago, it is a first cousin to that decidedly broad, but undeniably comic, bit of fooling. The source of Mr. Mandel's play was never more definitely given than that it was from the German, and as the plots are almost identical it must have been from the German of this particular playlet. Willy Frey and Rudi Rahe did the best work of the evening.

A. F. Higgins's Funeral Tomorrow.

The funeral of A. Foster Higgins, financier, will be held at 3 P. M. tomorrow at Christ Church, Greenwich, Conn. A delegation of eight members of the New York Chamber of Commerce has been selected by its President, E. H. Outerbridge, to attend the services. Mr. Higgins was a member of the Chamber for fifty-seven years. The delegation is A. Barton Hepburn, Welding Ring, Anton A. Raven, Samuel W. Fairchild, William R. Coe, James B. Dickson, Charles T. Gwynne, and E. H. Outerbridge.

Glenmore Davis Suffers a Stroke.

Glenmore Davis, a theatrical agent well known throughout the country, is in Bellevue Hospital seriously ill from a paralytic stroke. Davis was in the theatre district Tuesday night, and after the theatres closed he went with Bayard Veiller to the playwright's home to spend the night. During the night he was stricken and found with his left side paralyzed. Mr. Davis is a graduate of Cornell University.

AEROPLANE FOR AMUNDSEN.

Harry Bowers Mingle Offers to Provide One for Polar Expedition.

Harry Bowers Mingle, President of the Standard Aero Corporation, with offices in the Woolworth Building, at a luncheon at the Aero Club of America to Captain Roald Amundsen, the Norwegian explorer, yesterday, offered to build and give Captain Amundsen a special aeroplane for the three-year expedition which the explorer expects to make to the north pole beginning in July, 1918. At the conference before the luncheon Captain Amundsen stated that his present plans did not include an extensive use of the aeroplane because the purpose of the expedition was mainly to make ocean soundings, which he stated could best be done by drifting with the ice.

He said he would have to drift many months to cover the distance which could otherwise be accomplished in half a day with a large and fast aeroplane equipped with many motors. Captain Amundsen's present plans are to use the aeroplane for only the last 100 miles to the pole. The Standard Aeroplane Corporation is at present building eighteen aeroplanes for the army and navy.

The navigating instruments to be carried on the aeroplanes to make the flight entirely scientific were discussed. Captain Amundsen was especially interested in the Sperry automatic pilot, and the combined aeroplane compass and drift finder. He will visit today the Sperry Gyroscope Company to inspect other instruments for aerial navigation recently developed by Elmer A. Sperry and his sons.

END OF MULBERRY PRECINCT

Police Orders Consolidate It with Elizabeth Street.

Police Commissioner Woods yesterday issued orders abolishing the old Mulberry Street Precinct, scene of Blackhand affrays, and murders. The precinct was established in Civil War days. At 8 o'clock tomorrow morning the precinct will be consolidated with the Elizabeth Street station, the combined headquarters being at 17 Elizabeth Street. The remodeled precinct will run from the old Post Office to Bleecker Street, and from Broadway to the Bowery.

The only reason the Commissioner advanced for the consolidation was the unsanitary condition of the Mulberry Street station at 207 Mulberry Street. The building was erected in 1872.

Captain Maurice Hannon of the Elizabeth Street station will assume command of the remodeled precinct, and Captain William H. Kinsler of the Mulberry Street station will be transferred to the Tremont station in the Bronx. Captain Frederick G. Carson of that precinct will be temporarily assigned to the map room at Police Headquarters.

Bryan the Guest of Peabody.

William Jennings Bryan was the guest of George Foster Peabody at an informal luncheon at Sherry's yesterday. The luncheon was attended by about twenty-five persons. Irving R. Wiles has just finished a new portrait of Mr. Bryan. It will be placed on public exhibition tomorrow at the Wiles Studio at 130 West Fifty-seventh Street.

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Furs, Smokers' Articles, Vases, Alabaster Boxes, Cut Glass, Fancy China, Holiday Boxes of Writing Paper, 'Phone Registers, Pencil Cases, Desk Sets, Calendars, Slippers, Umbrellas, Emb'd Stockings, Fancy Cushions, Women's Neckwear Perfumes,

Walking Canes, Linen Scarfs, Blouses, Silver Deposit Perfume and Salts Bottles, Carving Sets, Cheese Dishes, Relish Dishes, Sandwich Trays, Jewelry—Fans, Evening Bags, Combs, Men's Neckwear, Men's House Robes, Maids' Aprons, Tea Wagons, Work Tables,

ANTI-CATHOLICS ARE DIVIDED ON POLITICS

City Members Who Want to Fight Tammany Object to Present Up-State Leadership.

DESERT NATIONAL BODY

Name of Organization and Membership Kept Secret — Plans to Join Mayoralty Contest.

Dissensions which political opponents hope may curtail its effectiveness have occurred in the national anti-Catholic organization which is so secret that even its name is known only to members, but which is known to exercise a power that was instrumental in defeating Martin H. Glynn for Governor two years ago and that is to be exerted in the fight against Tammany Hall in the Mayoralty campaign next year and as long thereafter as the Tiger stays in politics. Not only has the New York State branch of the organization seceded from the national body but even the State lodge has been split in two.

In each instance the breaks resulted from the objections of one side to the men proposed for office by the other. The State body, led by the Right Rev. William Burt, Bishop of the Methodist-Episcopal Church in Western New York; Dr. W. B. Gifford of Attica, New York State Grand Master, and H. H. Van Natter of Buffalo, the New York State Registrar, all of them pioneer workers in the anti-Catholic field, discussed a separation from the national body at a convention in Syracuse last Summer, ten days after the national convention in Cleveland, at which the New Yorkers had failed to prevent the re-election of the Supreme Grand Master and the Supreme Registrar of the organization. The quarrel came to a head recently, when Registrar Van Natter sent this message to all New York lodges of the order: "We advise you to disregard any communication from the so-called Supreme Grand Lodge officers."

Another factor in the trouble between the State and national bodies was the determination of the national officials to establish headquarters in this city and to bring into the State Jay W. Forrest, a lawyer and politician of Albany, who for six months has been organizing anti-Catholic "units" in New Jersey with marked success. Objection to Mr. Forrest came chiefly from Registrar Van Natter and, although he and his followers carried the State with them in secession from the national body, sufficient State members of the organization proved in favor of Mr. Forrest to bring about another split.

The Rev. Dr. William Milton Hess of the Trinity Congregational Church, 176th Street and Washington Avenue, Bronx, has assumed leadership in the pro-Forrest faction of the state forces and is directing the fight to bring Forrest to this city and to organize New York lodges preparatory to the Mayoralty fight next year. In an open letter to the city units of the body Dr. Hess urged a separate organization for New York City, saying:

"We are tired of the small, petty policy coming out of Buffalo. We are weary of this constant strife between the Buffalo peanut politicians and the big, even though imperfect, men at the head of this great order. We want things done in New York City. After three years we have only about 200 members here in this city. We should have 200,000. Let us paddle our own canoe, for Buffalo will not give its sanction to Forrest's coming into New York City. He is too much of a giant for them; not a 'crook' but a giant."

Mr. Hess said last night that his letter had not been meant for publication, but he acknowledged it and said he was receiving telegrams and letters from all parts of the State indorsing his move. He said the organization controlled 300,000 votes in the State, and added:

"We defeated Glynn two years ago, though he was a good man in many ways, because he kept bad company and we knew that he represented the Jesuit element that should have no place in American politics. Now we want Forrest to come here because we know him as a successful organizer and we want to prepare to fight Tammany. We are going to clean up that bunch in the next ten years. They represent rum and Romanism. In my early fight against rum I found that the two go together and now I am enlisted in the fight against both. That is the reason I pitched my tent in the very shadow of Fordham and that is the reason I have joined the anti-Catholic order."

Mr. Forrest has had experience in organizing in this State and the differences now arisen over him are directly traceable to his campaign here. He organized the initial units in Buffalo with intent to use them as an agency to promote the political fortunes of William Sulzer after Tammany had cast him off and he had been deposed as Governor. This organization ended in a row over the disposition of the $2 registration fee exacted of each candidate for membership after several thousand members had been enrolled. Mr. Forrest left the State and organized units in Philadelphia to oppose the election of Mayor Smith, who, with the backing of the Penrose organization, won easily, however. His most recent work has been in New Jersey.

Meantime the national body has carried the fight into this city by establishing headquarters in the Long Acre Building. The offices are not listed in the directory of the building, but it was found that they were installed in a pretentious suite on the third floor. The office was locked and admittance could not be obtained. On the door appear the names of "A. B. Barnett, S. E.," and "Will L. Sciam, D. S. E.," but nothing to indicate the nature of their business, or the name of the organization they represent. Barnett, however, is believed to be the Rev. Dr. Augustus E. Barnett of the Church of the Redeemer in Philadelphia, who was re-elected Supreme Registrar at the Cleveland convention.

More Speakers for Charities Rally.

In preparation for its final campaign to raise a $2,000,000 fund for federating Jewish charities, the Federation for the Support of Jewish Philantrophic Societies announced yesterday that Borough President Marks of Manhattan, Louis Marshall, Moses Hyamson and Rabbi Nathan Krass of Brooklyn had been added to the speakers for the Sunday evening meeting at the Thirty-ninth Street Theatre.

Little Mothers to Give a Bazaar.

The "Little Mothers'" Aid Association will hold an "American Bazaar" at the Waldorf on the afternoon and evening of Dec. 2 for the benefit of the relief work of the association. There will be sale booths, dancing, and a musical program, and prominent stage people will assist at the booths.

PREFERS TRIAL TO ASYLUM.

Lawyer for Man Indicted for Murder Asks Jury Hearing.

Supreme Court Justice Cohalan decided in an opinion handed down yesterday that Raymond Callahan, who was indicted for murder in the first degree in December, 1912, and was sent to the Matteawan Hospital for the Criminal Insane in January, 1913, on the ground that he had dementia praecox, had fully recovered his sanity and was able to consult with counsel. The court accordingly ordered that Callahan should be taken from Matteawan to the Tombs to await trial.

The decision was made in a habeas corpus proceeding instituted by Callahan's attorney directing Supt. Kieb of Matteawan to produce him in the Supreme Court here. As a result of the testimony offered before him Justice Cohalan concluded that "it is as likely that at the time of the crime for which Callahan was indicted he was suffering from alcoholic psychosis as that he was suffering from dementia praecox."

The court said that Callahan testified in the habeas corpus proceeding "clearly and consistently and responded cheerfully and intelligently to every test applied to him with respect to his sanity."

Justice Cohalan held that at the time Callahan's sanity was inquired into after his indictment for murder his mannerisms and peculiarities were magnified to assist him in escaping the consequences of his acts.

Callahan must now stand trial for killing "Silent Bert" Fitzgerald, bartender in a Seventh Avenue dance hall, who was shot to death on Nov. 7, 1912, in a lunchroom. The defendant was identified as the slayer of Fitzgerald, whose killing was said to have been a sequel to the shooting shortly before of Owen Madden, gangster, in the dance hall where Fitzgerald was employed.

Mrs. Morgan Motors Back to City.

Mrs. J. Pierpont Morgan, widow of the financier, who has been ill for several days, came to this city from her home at Highland Falls yesterday by motor. An early report that Mrs. Morgan was seriously ill was denied by members of her family.

HEARS PLEAS FOR STIELOW.

Decision on Application for Clemency Reserved by Gov. Whitman.

ALBANY, N. Y., Nov. 29.—The fate of Charles F. Stielow, the convicted slayer of Charles D. Phelps of West Shelby, Orleans County, now rests with Governor Whitman. For nearly four hours today the executive listened to arguments on an appeal for clemency, and reserved decision.

Stielow's attorneys said if the Governor's judgment was against them, no further proceedings would be instituted to save the condemned man's life. Stielow has been twice reprieved, and his case has been before many courts, including the Court of Appeals, which sustained his conviction. He is under sentence of death in the electric chair during the week of Dec. 11.

Stielow's case was presented by James W. Osborne of New York, ex-Judge Arthur E. Sutherland of Rochester, Mrs. Grace Humiston, a lawyer, and Stuart M. Cohn, Stielow's attorney. District Attorney John C. Knickerbocker of Orleans County, who prosecuted Stielow, opposed the application.

The petitioners argued that Stielow was a person of weak intellect, who made a false confession of guilt on the promise of immunity; that his actions both before and after the murder of Phelps were not those of a guilty person, and that a grave doubt as to his guilt had been raised in the minds of many persons by reason of a confession made by Erwin King, and later recanted, that King and Clarence O'Connell were the slayers of Phelps. During the recital by Mrs. Humiston of the circumstances of her obtaining King's confession, the Governor remarked that King's story was the subject of his serious consideration.

Brooklyn Guard Officer Weds.

Special to The New York Times.

HOUSTON, Texas, Nov. 29.—A wedding which the mobilization of the National Guard for border service postponed from June was held here Wednesday, when Captain William J. Evans, Twenty-third New York Infantry, and Miss R. Helen Stenvall of 424 Forty-fifth Street, Brooklyn, were marriage. Miss Stenvall came by herself to Houston, arriving here a few minutes before the ceremony. Captain Evans's regiment is stationed at Pharr, Texas. His home is at 1,312 Fiftieth Street, Brooklyn.

NO TURKEY FOR DIETERS.

Chicago Health Squad Will Get Roast Chicken for Thanksgiving.

CHICAGO, Nov. 29.—Roast chicken will be the principal article on the dinner menu of the "Diet Squad" tomorrow. The members suggested turkey. Health Commissioner Robertson decided that turkey would increase the expenses to an extent that might endanger his effort to show that an individual can live on food costing 40 cents a day. "You'll enjoy your turkey on Christmas all the more for abstaining from it on Thanksgiving," the health officer said.

The bill of fare for tomorrow is to be: Breakfast—Oranges, waffles, and syrup, coffee. Dinner—Cream of pea soup; roast chicken with dressing and giblet gravy, mashed potatoes, turnips, celery, cranberry sauce, apple pie, coffee. Supper—Brown fricassee of oysters, bread and butter, fresh fruits, drop cakes, cocoa.

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Swing and Rocking Horses	$4.00 to $24.00	Jointed Dolls	$3.75 to $15.00
Choo Choo Cars	$1.25 and $1.75	Electrical Stoves, Equipped	$5.00 to $32.50
Iron Toys	25c to $2.00	Doll Carriages	$3.00 to $19.75
Electrical Train Outfits	$2.75 to $40.00	Rag Dolls	50c to $3.75

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ENJOYS HIS ADVENTURE

Former Chum Relieved When Detectives Arrive to Take His Guest Back to Sanitarium.

A telephoned alarm from Dr. W. H. Wiley of the Blythewood Sanitarium for Mental Diseases, near Greenwich, Conn., set the police searching yesterday for Max W. Phelps, recently a student in Purdue University, Lafayette, Ind., where he had gained fame as a football player. Phelps had forced a keeper to remove his handcuffs, the alarm said, then had fled to Greenwich early yesterday morning and hired an automobile for the journey to New York.

A traffic policeman found Phelps's chauffeur, William Dewey, at 125th Street and Lenox Avenue, and learned from him that he had left Phelps at the United States Rubber Building, Broadway and Fifty-eighth Street. Detectives hurried there, where they found Phelps entertaining his old college friend, H. S. Bohn of the Wayne Oil Tank and Pump Company, with an account of his escape from the sanitarium. Mr. Bohn welcomed the detectives, for he had been in constant fear that Phelps, who is a powerful man, might grow less good natured.

Phelps was quite ready to return to the sanitarium, however. Before calling on Bohn he had telephoned to Dr. Wiley and announced that he would return if they sent for him. Apparently all he had wanted was the adventure of a motor trip to the city, and perhaps had intended to pay a visit to an aunt who, he told Dewey, lived at the Hotel Plaza. He had the chauffeur drive him to the hotel, but changed his mind about entering and went instead to Bohn's office.

Dewey insisted that he didn't know that Phelps was an inmate of Blythewood. Instead, he had believed Phelps was an attendant there, for he had explained to the chauffeur that he was after an escaped lunatic. Keepers from the sanitarium arrived in the afternoon and took Phelps back.

The young man was committed to the sanitarium on Oct. 30 by his mother, Mrs. Mary E. Phelps, after two alienists had testified that he was unbalanced. Since then he is said to have fought with keepers for his release on several occasions.

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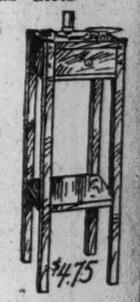

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Yours Very Sincerely,

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Now, regarding the statement that the Central Railroad of New Jersey has been allied with us, **it is absolutely false.** There is no connection whatever between us except that we lease from them certain facilities for conducting the coal business. The press reports suggest the inference that we, under this lease, are securing improper advantages over our competitors. This lease was one which was possessed by two coal companies acquired by us about eight years ago and was made originally by the Receivers of the Central Railroad of New Jersey when the property was in the hands of the courts in 1887.

This lease gives us no improper advantages over our competitors, nor does it result in any discrimination in favor of this company, as is evidenced by the fact that it has been **under investigation by the Interstate Commerce Commission from 1912 to 1915** and up to the present time, they evidently considered it all right or they would have ordered the Central Railroad of New Jersey to cancel or modify, neither of which have they done.

In reference to the allowance, the New Jersey Central tariff provides that shippers who perform any part of transportation service should receive a compensation therefor. We do perform transportation service of transshipping coal at the Communipaw pier and for that service we receive the duly published allowance of **12c per ton** which the tariff provides, **instead of 30c** as alleged in the newspapers. This tariff has been filed with the Interstate Commerce Commission and can be taken advantage of by anybody similarly situated on their railroad, and there are a number of them.

The Central Railroad of New Jersey have never to our knowledge been in the coal business and they actually carry, all told, from the various shippers on their road, somewhere in the neighborhood of **9,000,000** tons of coal per annum. We purchase from the various sources for use at the Communipaw yard and for shipments over the pier approximately between **350,000** and **400,000 tons instead of 5,000,000** as alleged in the newspapers; in fact, our total business is between **2,750,000** and **3,000,000** tons net, or **about thirty per cent** of the business done in the Metropolitan district, **instead of sixty per cent** as mentioned in some of the papers.

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Regarding the assertion that we have been the cause of certain dealers quitting the coal business, we would respectfully refer the public to a jury of our competitors and are perfectly willing to have them decide whether we have, in any way, tried to force anybody out of business. We are willing to abide by their decision, as they are the people that know the conditions.

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ACTS IN VANDERBILT SUIT.

Justice Shearn Reserves Decision in Life Insurance Case.

Supreme Court Justice Shearn reserved decision yesterday on an application by the Travelers' Insurance Company to compel the executors under the will of Alfred Gwynne Vanderbilt to make more definite and certain their complaint in the suit to collect $150,000 accident insurance because of the death of Mr. Vanderbilt when the Lusitania was torpedoed.

The insurance company contends that it is not liable if Mr. Vanderbilt came to his death through any act of war, but says that the complaint is so indefinite as to the alleged cause of death that the insurance company is unable to raise the question by demurrer. Justice Shearn suggested that the defendant make answer alleging that Mr. Vanderbilt lost his life as the result of an act of war and then raise the question on the plaintiff's reply to the answer.

$100,000 SUIT DISMISSED.

Barrie Fails to Make Consolidated Exchange Pay for His Expulsion.

Supreme Court Justice Greenbaum dismissed yesterday the $100,000 damage suit brought by Daniel T. Barrie against the Consolidated Stock Exchange, for expelling him from membership after his trial by the Board of Governors of the institution on charges of having trades made for himself on the floor of the exchange which were concealed in such a manner that they did not come to the notice of the authorities.

The case was thrown out of court on the application of the attorney for the Exchange, after Barrie, who had been board member for the firm of Lyman & Co., had given his story of his trial by the Exchange authorities and had insisted that the trial was illegal because members of the Board of Governors, who had made the charges against him, also sat in judgment on the case. He said he was making $10,000 a year prior to his expulsion. Justice Greenbaum ruled that no cause of action had been shown.

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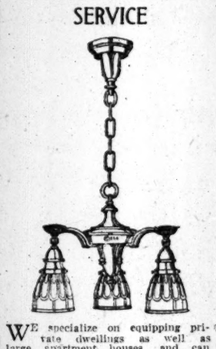

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The Weather Bureau's forecast for Thanksgiving is partly overcast and colder, and fair and colder Friday, with fresh south winds shifting to west.

Reports from the various religious bodies indicate that the churches and synagogues of the country, and the people irrespective of religious belief, will observe the admonition of President Wilson in his Thanksgiving proclamation:

"I urge and suggest our duty in this our day of peace and abundance to think in deep sympathy of the stricken peoples of the world upon whom the curse and terror of war has so pitilessly fallen, and to contribute out of our abundant means to the relief of their sufferings. Our people could in no better way show their real attitude toward the present struggle of the nations than by contributing out of their abundance to the relief of the suffering which the war has brought in its train."

The Catholic churches of the Archbishopric of New York have been especially directed to comply with this admonition in a letter sent by Mgr. J. J. Dunn, Chancellor, to the rectors of the churches. "His Eminence the Cardinal Archbishop," says Mgr. Dunn, "accepting the suggestion of the Chief Executive of the nation, directs that the collections taken up in our churches on Thanksgiving Day be given to the people of Europe, upon whom war has brought unparalleled disaster. Kindness and liberality toward the afflicted will win for us, a happy and contented people, increased blessings from God in return for our charity."

Similar admonition was given to the Episcopal churches a few days ago by Bishop David H. Greer.

In St. Patrick's Cathedral, at 11 A. M., there will be a service in commemoration of Emperor Francis Joseph of Austria. Cardinal Farley will preside on the throne and will pronounce the final absolution.

Charities in general will be active in distributing Thanksgiving cheer to the especial objects of their activites and to the poor in general. In many places children will have special Thanksgiving programs of games and celebrations. In Brooklyn Park Commissioner Raymond V. Ingersoll and Supervisor of Recreation John J. Downing have arranged athletic events, folk dances, and seasonal exercises at seven Park Department playgrounds. All the celebrations will begin at 2:30 P. M.

The Central Jewish Institute at 125 East Eighty-fifth Street will hold a special Thanksgiving service for residents of the Yorkville section. Americanism will be the topic of addresses by Rabbi Herbert S. Goldstein, General Director of the Institute, and the Rev. Dr. H. S. Morais.

The Children's Aid Society will give Thanksgiving dinners, with entertainments, in the Avenue B, Fifty-third Street, Henrietta, Italian, Jones Memorial, Rhinelander, Sixth Street, Sullivan Street, Tompkins Square and West Side Memorial Schools and the Newsboys' Forty-fourth Street, St Elizabeth, West Side and Harlem Lodging Houses, the Brace Farm School, the Shelter for Mothers with Children, and the A. Louise Erlanger Home. The Ladies' Auxiliary of the Society, of which Mrs. William K. Vanderbilt is the head, has arranged for a dinner at noon for the one hundred children in custody of the Society.

Bellevue Hospital and the Metropolitan and City Hospitals on Blackwell's Island will give special dinners for the patients and employes. The Bowery branch of the Y. M. C. A. will feed 800 men at Hadley Rescue Hall.

ANNA HELD IN 'FOLLOW ME.'

Commonplace Musical Show Ornately Staged at the Casino.

After an absence of nearly three years—broken only by a brief sally into vaudeville last season—the veteran Anna Held returned to the New York stage last evening in a new musical show called "Follow Me," which had its first performance at the famous Casino. Except that she is less slender, she looks and acts and sings much as of old, and in her lyrics she is still trying to make those unruly eyes behave.

"Follow Me" is one of those ornately staged entertainments with all the girls and ginger you could ask and a little less than the decent minimum of laughter. The recipe is simple. You enroll Anna Held, gather some Junoesque showgirls for contrast, assemble a chorus, tell a scene painter to go as far as he likes, and fill in with talent obtained by a raid on the two-a-day. Thus we have now at the Casino such familiar vaudeville folk as the dashing Cansinos, the favorite dancers from Spain, who would entliven any program; the amiable Harry Tighe and his diminutive partner, Sylvia Jason, who is quite captivating at times and slightly reminiscent of the celebrated Frances White; the comical Mr. Watts with his burlesque dance from the Winter Garden, and Henry Lewis with his capital music hall voice and his vulgar and deadly efforts to be funny.

"Follow Me" confesses to a foreign original of which very little appears to have survived the rehearsals. Instead there are no end of interpolations, many jaunty musical numbers that were sung with energy and encored again and again. The new piece at the Casino is Anna Held's first musical production since "Miss Innocence" in 1908. She returned with it for brief engagements in 1909 and 1910. And she appeared for a week at the Casino in her own traveling vaudeville company called "Mlle. Baby."

THEATRICAL NOTES.

William Faversham has invited President Wilson to occupy a box at the Booth for the performance of "Getting Married" after the ceremonies attendant upon the dedication of the permanent lighting system of the Statue of Liberty Saturday night.

The principals of the Century revue will attend the special matinee of "Turn to the Right" tomorrow at the Gaiety to get pointers for their burlesque of the comedy that will be added to the Century show soon. The matinee will be the first of a series of special Friday afternoon performances of the Smith-Hazzard comedy.

Cyril Maude, whose engagement in "The Basker" at the Empire will end Saturday night, will spend next week in the city rehearsing his new company in "Grumpy." He will begin a transcontinental tour in his old success at Allentown, Penn., on Dec. 11. It is possible that he will go to Honolulu from San Francisco in the Spring to appear in the Hawaiian Opera House for a week. A committee of prominent American and English residents of the city are negotiating with Mr. Maude to that end.

"The People vs. John Doe," a film representing a preachment against capital punishment, will be placed on exhibition at the Broadway on Sunday night, Dec. 10. During the engagement Miska Applebaum will lecture at each performance. The salary that will be paid to him will be donated to the Advisory Board of the Humanitarian Cult for propaganda purposes.

Georgia Lawrence has been engaged by Selwyn & Co. for an important role in James Forbes's new play, "A Woman of Today."

William A. Brady has arranged to revive the dramatization of "Little Women," seen several seasons ago at the Playhouse. After an engagement in Boston the play will be brought to New York for a series of matinee performances in one of the Brady playhouses.

Charles Dillingham has renewed his contracts with the principals of the ice ballet at the Hippodrome. The original agreement covered a period of ten weeks, and it has been decided to retain the ice scene throughout the season.

Aimaru Sato, the Japanese Ambassador, and a party of friends will come from Washington Monday to see the Washington Square players' performance of "Bushido," at the Comedy that night.

Henry W. Savage's first musical production of the season will be "Have a Heart," the libretto by Guy Bolton and P. G. Wodehouse, the music by Jerome Kern. Rehearsals will be begun next week.

William Hodge's engagement in "Fixing Sister," at the Maxine Elliott, will continue only two more weeks.

NEW ITALIAN TENOR APPEARS

Fernando Carpi Sings Alfredo in 'La Traviata'—Mme. Hempel, Violetta.

The first performance of "La Traviata" this season at the Metropolitan Opera House, which was given last evening, was notable principally for the singing of Mme. Frieda Hempel as Violetta, and secondarily for the first appearance of the new Italian tenor of the company, Fernando Carpi, as Alfredo. Mme. Hempel sang the music brilliantly, as not many coloratura sopranos now extant can sing it; there are few remaining coloratura sopranos and few signs of the oncoming of others. Wherefore the Metropolitan Opera House is fortunate in commanding the services of this one.

The new tenor made an agreeable impression, though he caused few signs of excitement in the house. The impression was unexpectedly agreeable in one respect at least, in that he is not one of the "bleating" tenors that are sent forth from Italy in such large numbers when times are favorable. The voice, though it has no great sensuous beauty or warmth, has a certain substantial quality, and the lower tones are not without body. It is not large or powerful nor does it show much variety of color in the production of dramatic effects; and there is something of a quaver in it that his well-wishers will hope will not develop into more of a tremolo.

Mr. Carpi presents a good appearance upon the stage and is not unfamiliar with its requirements. He was competent in his representation of the part he assumed last evening, and it is likely that he will prove a serviceable addition to the company.

The performance was under the direction of the new conductor, Mr. Gennaro Papi, who showed sufficient command of the situation. Giuseppe de Luca was the Giorgio Germont.

SUES FOR ROYALTIES.

Stevenson Charges "Arms and the Girl" Was Taken from His Novel.

Burton E. Stevenson, a novelist, of Chillicothe, Ohio, brought suit in the Federal District Court yesterday for an accounting and for damages for infringement against William Harris, Jr.; Grant Stewart, and R. M. Baker. The complaint charges the defendants with having dramatized the novel "Little Comrade," that was published in January, 1914, and produced it on the stage under the name of "Arms and the Girl."

Mr. Stevenson says he retained the dramatic rights to this work, and he wants an accounting in order to ascertain the amount of the royalties he alleges are due to him.

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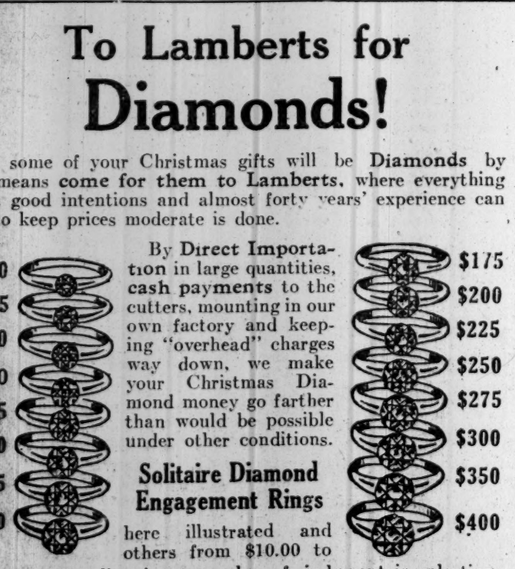

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THE GRAND TURK AND SO ON.

The turkey, who is not a Turk, save in name, but a member of one of our "oldest American families," maintains as a victim of Thanksgiving something of the importance, the self-importance, which distinguishes that pompous fowl in life. But the turkey, even as the ceremonial, the ritual, Thanksgiving and Christmas bird, is not so important as its walk and conversation betoken. A multitude of folk decided two or three weeks ago that the butchers or the haughty wholesalers, who make their lives a burden, were asking altogether too much for turkey. Even without turkey life can be lived well, as MARCUS AURELIUS would put it. The purple epicures of today manage to do without, because they have to do without, canvasback and terrapin, almost necessaries of life, rather than luxuries, to the well-fed of the '80's. If turkey can't be had at living prices, why there are other birds, there are meats, other sovereigns of the feast. Better that the table shouldn't "groan" than that the householder should groan at his butcher's bill.

So the prudent held back. A sort of unpremeditated boycott was proclaimed. It had its effect. The price of the solemn fowl fell several cents a pound. A practical illustration of the value of substitute foods which our trans-marine friends have found out in austerer ways. Here the mere threat of a Thanksgiving substitute, the reduction of the demand, brought a price kite down. A fact that has more merit than an allegory. There are mighty few real necessaries. Without a table of calories the judicious housewife is able to provide satisfaction for all but the proudest stomachs.

The Thanksgiving dinner, however luxuriously or scantily composed, should have an added savor today. Who eats turkey or chicken but once a year gets that variety of sensation which is denied to the frequent feaster. Soon the country will take to the trenches again against the old enemy, High Cost of Living. Tomorrow the trenches, today the trencher. After three or four days of feasting on the remnants, perhaps we shall resolve to act on the most common and ironical of resolutions, "We really must begin to economize." Meanwhile a lot of people have begun. The embargo on the importation of eggs into the household worked, at least in the case of "storage eggs and low-grade eggs," the wholesale price of which dropped a cent a dozen. Wholesale prices seem sometimes slow to communicate their published tendency of decline and fall off to retail prices, but the first fruits of the boycott are encouraging. The egg men jeer. They say that nobody uses eggs who doesn't have to, that there has been a practical boycott for some time, and that the super-boycott of the housewives won't amount to anything. Perhaps not. But there can be an immense reduction in the number of eggs used as food directly or in the making of fancy dishes, and the public is more than a little cold to eggs just now. The number of bad eggs that municipal or other investigators have found in the stores of the great collectors doesn't add to the flavor. In Commissioner WOODS's report of the police investigation "strictly fresh eggs," a word of art, doesn't appear. He does exhibit "fresh," "first grade storage," "second grade storage," "third grade storage." Eggs of the last and most plebeian variety are recommended to the gentle senses as "damaged, cracked, or spotted." Decidedly, when one thinks of the successive profits in the manipulation of eggs and of the lost or suspect character of so many millions of eggs, one doesn't pine for eggs. Our Virginia friends will have to get along Christmas without the traditional eggnog. Is it any harder to refrain from eggs than from drink? Eggs are a superstition, a habit. Let them go spoil until their prices are within the means of poor men. They have been banned in some restaurants already, and here is the Hon. JOHN MCGLYNN, President of the Hotel Men's Association of this State, promising that for two weeks eggs in every form shall not show their impertinent new-rich phizzes on hotel bills of fare. Eggs will be as unpopular soon as tea was to the American Colonists.

The Hon. CHAMP CLARK says that everybody who owns or rents "200 square feet of ground" should keep a flock of laying hens. Hens don't promote neighborly feeling, and in the coops of amateurs they "set," not lay, but the Speaker's suggestion may inspire would-be hen farmers whose domains are ample enough for the experiment. His recommendation of rice, so remarkably nutritious and, properly cooked, so appetizing, is sound, if not new. Mush he likewise approves. The very name is filling. Hasty pudding and milk, fried mush, all sorts of mush. Is it too humble a dish for our soft Campanian age? It helped make the hardy old race of founders and pioneers. It fed the wisdom of BEN FRANKLIN. If we remember, he used to put a little central well of molasses in his plate or bowl of hasty pudding.

During the civil war, when prices were high, when, with much prosperity, there was much sharp domestic pinch, many children even in comfortable homes fed on homely brown bread and molasses. In large families clothes were transmitted from elder brother and sister to younger. Patching was copious, if not artistic. People had to save, weren't ashamed to save.

In this larger, more golden, time of inflation, how many are laying aside a portion of their fat wages? Over the other side economy is practiced because it has to be. People are healthier and "fitter" than if they ate the fat and drank the sweet. In matters of the table as of other expenditure, this threadbare gospel of saving is the one to preach. When the lean years come, bitter will be the regrets of those who wouldn't heed.

THE CAT OUT OF THE BAG.

What sounds like the true explanation of the Belgian deportations has been blurted out by Governor General VON BISSING, a blunt soldier, whose incapacity for tergiversation has already distinguished him, notably in the case of his execution of EDITH CAVELL. All the explanations about economic needs are abolished at one stroke, if this is the real explanation.

The Governor General says he is "not in Belgium to martyrize the "population nor mete out punish-"ment, but only to further the inter-"ests of Germany in the most com-"prehensive way." He is "an old soldier," he says, and would not "like to use arms against this unarmed population." Then he continues:

> I consider that I am serving the Emperor and the Fatherland to the best advantage when I cause the least possible German blood to flow here and the fewest possible Germans to be withdrawn from our front lines to watch over Belgium.

Not a word about economic necessities. Germany needs men at the front. She has a large garrison in Belgium on which to draw. She cannot draw on it too much for fear of a revolt in Belgium when the garrison becomes weak. Therefore, in order to withdraw the German soldiers needed in Rumania and on the Somme, and at the same time guard Belgium as efficiently as ever, she removes as much as is necessary of the Belgian population to a place where they could not revolt if they wished. Every dozen or so of Belgians deported means a German soldier released from watching them and sent to the front. Simple, almost crude in fact, and completely German. Thus a few Belgians torn from their homes represent another rifle on the firing line. In addition, the Belgians, when they reach their German destination, have to work for Germany and release other Germans who would otherwise be doing that work; but that is merely lagniappe; the direct profit is the German soldier dropping his garrison work and hastening to the Somme.

In everything he has said for the last year General VON BISSING has rendered a service to the truth. He does not hide or diminish or alter the truth, simply because he cannot imagine that the truth will jar any neutral ear. If VON BISSING were only in the Admiralty, how much pretense and ostrich-hiding would vanish! Can one imagine him covering up submarine outrages with stories about how the submarines were defending themselves from bloodthirsty liners, or hiding attacks on fishing villages behind bulletins, saying that they were "fortified places"? No; one can only imagine VON BISSING saying bluntly: "Yesterday we sank an unarmed "passenger vessel and butchered her "crew, and we also raided a Summer "resort and killed a number of women "and children," and seeing no reason why he should not say it.

ON THE RAILWAY TRACKS.

Several of our railroad companies have been earnestly striving for some time past, in many ways, to prevent the killing of trespassers on their tracks and the loss of life there due to the recklessness of automobile drivers. This work is in accord with the plans adopted at the recent conference of the National Association of Railroad Commissioners, the American Automobile Association, and the American Railway Association for effective and uniform cautionary signals at grade crossings, and the efforts of the Safety First Society, whose annual convention is soon to be held in Baltimore. The Pennsylvania Railroad Company is now distributing in the schools along its lines thousands of illustrated calendars, as a part of its campaign of warning for trespassers. They bear pictures of parties of children hurriedly crossing railway tracks, and also these words:

> Every year more than 5,000 American boys, girls, and grown folks who take such risks as these throw their lives away. Don't you be one of them!

The number of walking trespassers killed on the rails in 1914 was 5,396, and as many more were seriously injured. During the past year the New Haven Company has distributed 200,000 warning posters, printed in several languages, and has gained the aid of school teachers and owners of factories. In the year that ended with last June nearly 25 per cent. more trespassers were killed on its lines than in the year immediately preceding. The Long Island Company's work for safety at crossings and elsewhere on its tracks has deserved commendation.

Warnings are not sufficient for the restraint of walking trespassers. But more stringent legislation, imposing penalties, might keep a majority of them away from the tracks. With more than 3,000,000 automobiles in use, and a growing annual output, the grade crossing problem becomes more and more difficult. A large majority of the fatal accidents at crossings are due to the action of reckless or incompetent drivers of motor cars. An astounding disregard for closed gates and passing trains by such drivers is shown by the results of a special inquiry concerning the accidents of the first eight months of the present year on the Pennsylvania Company's lines.

Six automobiles were driven against or through closed safety gates. Seventeen men reached the tracks by crawling under closed gates. Four were killed and thirteen were injured. Twenty-three motor cars ran against the sides of trains that were already on the crossings. By these collisions four persons were killed and fifty-one hurt. Two motor cyclists lost their lives in the same way. And in the last three weeks four automobile drivers forced their cars through closed and well-lighted gates at one and the same crossing on the Long Island road. This leads the company's General Manager to say that the number of drivers "who stubbornly refuse to stop "at a crossing where the gates have "been let down to protect the pub-"lic is increasing." Some lives might be saved by additional legislation as to the qualifications of those who drive cars, but improvement ought to be caused by the penalties paid for reckless driving. As a rule, these are more severe than any that can be imposed by law. Due credit should be given by the public to railroad companies that are using all available safeguards.

THANKSGIVING OF GIVING.

On this old feast day of the reunion of kindred, of the family, the home, in this nation happily at peace, who can forget the ruin, the sorrow, the poverty, the hunger, the unending agony of Europe? While we sit at ease, Europe fights every day and night with death, with innumerable woes. Her men, her women, her children, fatherless, myriads of them, endure hardship, suffering, grief, crowded and continuous misfortune such as has hardly been equaled in the long chronicle of human misery.

In humility, in gratitude, in awe before the dark riddle of humankind, spared from the general disaster, let us thank heaven by helping our stricken fellow creatures. Let our thanks be felt and seen, eaten and drunk, by the victims in this sacrifice of peoples. There are a hundred societies, ways, of aiding. Give to the cause you think most of, give to any, but give! This Thanksgiving should be an Almsgiving to relieve a broken world.

RAILWAY INVESTMENTS.

The December disbursements aptly illustrate the argument of the representative of the railways during the Newlands hearing at Washington. Mr. THOM propounded as a theory that if railway dividends were limited without being guaranteed investors would prefer to put their money where there was a better chance of enlarging their capital. Countless millions, he said, are being put into commodities and industrial securities because of their speculative attractions, and into municipal securities because of their safety. But investors have avoided railway securities since the first refusal of the Interstate Commerce Commission to advance rates. The construction of 260,000 miles of railway was the result of the speculative "bait" which was attached to the issuance of their securities, an inducement not now offered.

Applying the facts to the theory, it appears that during eleven months of the year, when prosperity has been unparalleled, railways have been able to issue $88,335,000 more of share capital than in 1915. Industrials have issued more by $327,680,000. The issues of notes by these two classes of investments have approximated $88,000,000 for each. The greatest contrast is in bonds. Railway issues are smaller than in 1915 by $145,284,000, and industrial issues are larger by $296,979,300. It is customary to say that railways are more attractive than industrials as investments because of their greater stability, and that the attraction of industrials is their speculative quality. That is apparent enough in the increase of industrial share capital floated. But what shall be said about the cash put into industrial bonds? Is not that the sort of money which would take the railway issues if the investment outlook were clearer?

The investment facts which explain the situation—all the figures being those of The Journal of Commerce—are that the industrial dividends have increased from $422,508,506 for the full year 1915 to $575,005,245 for 1916. Steam railways and tractions are grouped together and show an increase in 1916 to $370,375,719 from $335,306,235 in 1915. If any class of dividends shows an increase four times that of another class, there is no need of argument where the attraction lies. Neither is there any lack of explanation. It is sufficiently understood that the foreign war conditions explain the profit in the industrial issues, and that the domestic war (on the railways) explains the lack of attraction in the railway issues. What it is desirable to know is which war will end first, and what will be the effect on investment currents. The war on the railways began first by some years and may last longer by an indefinite period. The regulators of the railways disagree with each other as much as they differ from the railways. The regulation, which started to make rates reasonable, switched into an attempt to reduce profits, and has now passed into a political phase, shown in the antagonism between State and Federal regulation. In the background is the war between labor and capital, which influences both classes of investments, but in different degrees.

It is true that if there had been no foreign war the money which has gone into industrials and foreign investments by billions might have gone into the enlargement of railway facilities so sorely needed. If things had been different they would have been different, no doubt. But that does not help us to determine whether, when the conditions are different, the railways will prove attractive to investors who like stability. That would seem to depend upon whether they think that regulation of the sort known to all is productive of stability. Meanwhile the regulators might give some attention to the facts in connection with their theories.

AMERICAN CAPITAL IN CHINA.

The professions of Japanese statesmen concerning the investment of American capital in China are not exactly in accord with recent acts of their Government and leading bankers. Count TERAUCHI, the new Premier, said a few weeks ago that Japan, adhering to the policy of the open door, desired to promote the development of China's natural resources, and for this development would welcome the co-operation of the United States. Marquis INOUYE, recently Ambassador to Great Britain, in a published interview, says Japan would be pleased to see American capital enter the Chinese field. He points to China's great stores of coal and metallic ores, and her need of railroads. Japan, although prosperous, has not capital enough for the desired development, he asserts, is not trying "to lock the door," and would welcome the assistance of capital from this country in the work.

But Japan has objected to the contract with a subsidiary of the American International Corporation for the construction of railroads and the improvement of a part of the Grand Canal, and her bankers have protested against the recent loan of $5,000,000 to China by a Chicago bank. In each case the grounds of the objection are insufficient. The loan contract is not at variance with any existing agreement, and in providing for railroad construction all possible precautions were taken to avoid conflict with treaties. Japan opposes the use of American capital for improvement of the Grand Canal by asserting that she is the successor of Germany with respect to a preference granted by treaty to Germany before the war.

The railroad and canal contract overshadows the small loan of $5,000,000. It calls for the construction of 1,500 miles of road, (with an option for 1,500 more,) and involves the investment of more than $60,000,000 of American money on the security of Chinese Government bonds. It would also require the exportation of large quantities of material and rolling stock from this country. China now has only 6,000 miles of road. She needs much more, and, as her Minister at Washington says, "the Chi-"nese people are especially keen in "their desire to develop business re-"lations with the United States." The Commercial Attaché of this country in China, saying that there is a great opportunity for railroad construction, adds that "the door is open, but we don't go in." The railroad contract is proof, however, that we are trying to go in, but have been confronted by protests. These, from four foreign Governments, complain that existing agreements are violated by the location of the railroad line and in other ways, although the course of the road has not been marked out, the American engineer who is to make the surveys has not yet arrived in China, and the contract itself provides that there shall be no interference with agreements in existence when it was signed.

Reports from Japan say that there is great interest in trade with China, and that merchants are planning to meet the competition of this country in China after the war, striving to obtain some advantage before the declaration of peace. Japan is enjoying great prosperity. Her exports of manufactures have been very largely increased. With the aid of unwise legislation here, her shipping interests have grown rapidly. She is about to establish a new line to Brazil. While her trade with India, Australia, and South America is quite satisfactory in extent and profits, she is intent upon what can be done in China. If it is true that she would be glad to see American capital at work there, she should withdraw the objections which tend to prevent that co-operation which she professes to seek.

TOPICS OF THE TIMES.

They Could Avoid the Crowds.

Not only is it desirable that Christmas presents be bought early, in the sense of early in what is called the holiday season, but also that they be bought early in the sense of early in the day. To do that is not convenient, or even possible, for a considerable number of purchasers, but a considerably larger number, including most of the women who do not work for a living outside the home, can just as easily do their Christmas shopping in the forenoon as in the afternoon, and the adoption of that plan, like mercy, would be twice blessed—for themselves and for the army that serve at the counters.

To take the former blessing first, as it is presumably the one most eagerly sought, the forenoon buyer avoids the crowded hours, both in the shops and in the cars, going and coming, and deals with salesmen and saleswomen not yet wearied and more or less irritated by the demands of previous customers upon temper, attention and interest. On the other hand, the better distribution over the whole working day of the services to be rendered by the sales folk appreciably improves the conditions of employment, and so helps to make the seasonal rush less of a drain on strength of body and mind.

There would be still other beneficiaries of forenoon shopping—all those who, by the earlier return home of the buyers whose time is their own, would find the various transportation lines less crowded at the close of the day and so be spared in some degree the strains, most severely felt just then, that are involved in traveling as one unit of a pushing and hurried multitude.

Practically all of these arguments for early-in-the-day shopping are applicable not only to the Christmas season, but to the whole year, and, as they are obviously sound on the surface, the fact that they are not more effective hints at the existence of a fallacy somewhere out of sight. It may be that they are vitiated by the assumption that the shoppers want to be comfortable—that they dislike crowding others and being themselves crowded. They say they do, but their persistence in habits so easily changed indicates that really they are fond of the emotional excitements incidental to the present custom.

Elderly Men Hired as Office Boys.

In at least one New York office, as revealed by THE TIMES yesterday, the now difficult problem of getting boys for the performance of the many small but important services long since intrusted to them has been solved in simple fashion by giving it up and hiring old men to do office-boy work. There is said to be some loss in activity on the part of the elderly substitutes, and they have to be paid more than were their predecessors, but both differences are more than balanced, according to the innovator who was interviewed, by the superior intelligence naturally to be found in maturer minds and the greater sense of responsibility that goes with age.

That there are many elderly men who, though unable longer to do hard work, are still quite capable of doing something, and glad to get employment at even small wages, is only too well known, and it has been a standing reproach of our industrial system that age in many of the trades, and in not a few vocations verging on the professional, is a handicap so nearly fatal that men often feel compelled to conceal the number of their years as long as they can, and not less sedulously than do, or did formerly, the majority of women. Should the utilization of old or elderly men in the positions up to now usually filled by boys become a general custom, that particular reproach would be removed, at least in part.

That would be to the advantage of the boys themselves, too, for the majority of these places nowadays are what are called "dead-end jobs," leading very indirectly, if at all, to promotion and a business career. For the old or elderly man that would not be disadvantageous, or at least not so disadvantageous. But against the aged office boy's sense of satisfaction at having his earning period thus extended would have to be counted the almost inevitable humiliation he would feel as the result of a descent so obvious in the industrial scale. To necessity, however, all must yield, and resignation comes with wont.

There remains to be considered in relation to this plan the general disinclination of employers—a disinclination which, curiously enough, is proportioned to the employer's kindness of heart—for taking on new employes already of advanced age. Such employes are sure, after no great time, to be unfit for further work of any kind, and modern sensibilities recoil from turning them out in their helplessness. The alternative is some sort of pension, and that is more cheerfully given after long than short service.

He Almost Sniffs at Comets!

Professor BENJAMIN BOSS, Director of the Dudley Observatory, is quoted by one of the Albany papers as speaking of the discovery of new comets in a way decidedly surprising to those of us—a large number, certainly—who have always supposed that comet-hunting and comet-finding were highly esteemed in astronomical circles. Surely we have noticed, often enough, the announcement of achievements in this line as if they were of some consequence.

But Professor Boss said, or is said to have said, of himself and his colleagues in the Dudley Observatory, "We leave the discovery of comets to the amateurs, because a comet is not important enough for us to spend our time on, and any person who sweeps the sky each night with a strong telescope is just as competent to discover a comet as the professional astronomer."

Yet surely it is not a delusion that not a few professional astronomers have deemed it worth their while to devote wakeful and laborious nights to looking for comets and in looking at comets after they were found. It would be interesting to hear what these other eminent exponents of science have to say about the making of star catalogues, the work to which Professor Boss has given many years, as did his father before him. Should they return his somewhat snipsome remarks in kind, it would be a terrible shock—but decidedly interesting—to us commoner folk, who have confidently assumed that astronomers are incapable of the little jealousies and enmities that abound among the followers of lower and less magnificent pursuits.

HALL CAINE TO 'COSMOS.'

Agrees with His Views, but Wants No Premature Peace.

By HALL CAINE.

Special Cable to THE NEW YORK TIMES.
London, Nov. 29.

To "Cosmos":

By courtesy of THE NEW YORK TIMES I have read your letter cabled on Monday, and I hasten to say that hardly anything could be less like the general purport of your articles, as made known to us by the digest published on this side of the ocean. That digest represented them as a peace kite, flown possibly in German interests, or at least capable of being turned to Germany's account. But my letter was not inspired by that injurious interpretation. On the contrary, it was suggested by regret that such language should be employed by a responsible organ of British opinion about a writer who was obviously sincere and in relation to a journal, THE NEW YORK TIMES, which has published some of the most enlightening, searching, deeply felt and sympathetic articles that have appeared in any country during the period of the war.

My letter was also prompted by a desire to make recognition of the obvious fact that the United States could only be inspired by the noblest motives of humanity—against the manifest opposition of material interests—in initiating a propaganda in favor of peace.

Therefore I did my best to answer you on the high ground of moral law, not of military opportunity or necessity, frequently quoting the precise terms attributed to you and drawing no inferences from your argument except such as seemed to be fair to the general trend of it. In doing this I think I represented the spirit of our people, who are not ungrateful to America for what she is doing and would certainly not presume to banish the word "peace" from the vocabulary of the greatest of neutral nations, however little they may desire to use it themselves.

But if you feel that you have cause for complaint in the language sometimes held toward America in this country, I ask you to put yourself in our place. It may be true that the Junkers are not all in Germany, that the Huns are not all in Prussia, that boastful and overbearing threats are used here as well as beyond the Rhine, and that in the midst of the immeasurable suffering that has been created by the war the loudest clamor against proposals for peace may in this country, as in the countries of our enemies, come from the warlike pulpits, heroic sofas, and invincible armchairs; but that is by no means the whole story.

Our people are a proud, brave, high-spirited race, unaccustomed to defeat and unwilling to bear the shame of it. In times past we have known the full bitterness of dark and threatening hours. Less than three centuries ago after a period of world supremacy we saw the Dutch fleet riding triumphantly in the Thames. Less than two centuries ago on the eve of our greatest victories we saw our forces broken on land and sea.

But our national spirit has never been broken. We have never yet submitted to a disgraceful peace, and now, when we are, as we believe, the victim of a cruel and cowardly plot, when we are suffering with our allies and with some of the neutral nations, not excluding America, from every imaginable horror of treacherous warfare which inhumanity can devise or barbarity execute, we feel that it is not for us to prate about peace until it is near, and we know it to be right.

Let our enemies squeal for it, whether in bravado or fear. It is not in the spirit of our people to do so, whatever price we have to pay for our silence. That is the first trait of our national character, and not to know it is not to know our Britain—what it is and what it has gone through.

Some of us who have it for our duty to speak to our people through great newspapers from day to day or week to week have been made acutely conscious of this undying national characteristic. There are subjects we cannot discuss because our people do not admit that they come within the realm of question. There are eventualities we cannot contemplate because they are not believed to be within the region of possibilities, and above all such subjects and eventualities is the subject and eventuality of a peace that shall be premature and therefore dishonoring and dangerous.

On that question, in spite of all our sufferings, past, present and to come, the soul of our Empire is on fire. Hence the impatience and even suspicion with which some of the so-called peace talk of America has been received in this country, and hence, too, the misconception which, as your letter shows, sometimes prevails as to the scope and aim of it.

With the general trend of your letter, as cabled to me, I find myself in complete agreement. That when the war has been righteously ended (God grant it may be soon!) an effort ought to be made to establish an international agreement whose aim would be to protect civilization against the recurrence of such an calamity is a proposition that will commend itself to the vast majority of my countrymen, and it will seem to us to be fit and right that America should take the lead in this high enterprise as the one great nation whose power would command authority throughout the world, and whose hands are clean of the present crime.

But in joining your league of peace we should have no illusions. We should not necessarily think that we were promoting the peace principles of the founder of our faith. Those principles, as most of us understand them, are based on the cry that violence in whatever form employed produces violence, and that the only way to establish the rule of moral law is not to resist evil.

But we see that that doctrine may make martyrs and religions, not nations, and that your international league of peace would have to be founded on force. Like a civil government, it would depend in the final resort on the power behind it, and, therefore, be liable to deadlocks and breakdowns and some of the lesser dangers of present conditions.

On the other hand we recognize the difference that the force behind your league of peace would be world force, not national force. That difference would be fundamental. It would give us reason to hope that moral law would be allowed to operate in international disputes, and, therefore, an ultimatum like that of Austria to Serbia would be impossible; that the rights of little nations would be considered apart from the power to enforce them, and, therefore, the violations of Belgium and the enslavement of her people would be unthinkable, and, above all, that such a world war as we are in the midst of, involving incalculable sufferings to millions, would never again be undertaken after a few delirious days of intoxicating diplomacy, conducted in secret by a handful of men who are not all distinguished for intelligence or above the suspicion of unworthy motives.

If America in due time can bring to pass a coalition like that it will have rendered a service to humanity such as the world has hardly yet dared to hope for. So blessed a consummation would almost reconcile us to the immeasurable misery of the present frightful conflict by making us feel that for this reason God permitted it that, as once by flood, so now by fire, the world might be purged of the worst of its impurities; that He has allowed nothing to be wasted, no suffering, no sacrifice, and that through the grandeur as well as the sorrow of the time He has given to his stricken world a glorious resurrection.

God grant it!

HALL CAINE.

All Want Peace: What Must Be Its Basis?

By A DISTINGUISHED PUBLICIST.

NINTH ARTICLE.

The ground that has now been traversed includes the outline of a settlement of the issues of the war that would secure the free national development of every State whether great or small, the policy of the open door in international trade, the exemption of private property at sea, other than contraband, from capture or destruction, and that would restore Alsace-Lorraine to France as well as make Russia mistress of the Dardanelles and the Bosporus. There is one other subject mentioned by Mr. Asquith in his Guildhall Declaration, but not referred to by Viscount Grey, which is constantly in the minds of the Allies, and which never fails to be mentioned when conditions of a lasting peace are discussed. In Mr. Asquith's own words: "We shall never sheathe the sword, which we have not lightly drawn, * * * until the military domination of Prussia is wholly and finally destroyed." Mr. Asquith chooses his words, and particularly his adjectives and adverbs, with more scrupulous care than any other statesman of our time. His statement, therefore, is of primary importance.

Prussian military domination rests first upon Prussia's military policy and its fixed habit of thinking of all questions of foreign policy in terms of military power and of that alone, as well as upon the vast population of the German Empire, which supplies the needed men to keep in effective organization huge armies ready to move at command. The fact that Prussia has a system of universal training and universal military service has little or nothing to do with its military domination. Switzerland has substantially the same thing, and no one thinks of the Swiss as other than a people devoted to the ways of peace. A Swiss army of the same size as that of Prussia would not give to Switzerland the military domination which Prussia has until just now enjoyed. The reason is that military domination does not consist chiefly, or indeed at all, in potential military power, but rather in the attitude of the public mind toward the military system and the army, and in the relative importance assigned to force and to right in weighing and deciding upon matters of international policy. In other words, militarism is a state of mind. Prussian militarism is a Prussian state of mind, and in so far as the German people as a whole have accepted the Prussian state of mind as a sound or as a necessary one Germany is just now a militaristic nation. Of course, this was not always so. The South German people from time immemorial have been poets and artists, kindly and gentle in their manners and without overruling ambitions to conquer and to reform the world. The Prussian hegemony, while certainly necessary to bring about and to insure German unity, has brought not a few evils in its train. One of the chief of these is the extension to the South German folk of the Prussian point of view together with Prussian leadership.

The history of Prussia is a record of extraordinary success in making the most of a meagre beginning, and in extending Prussian rule by sheer force of will, might and administrative effectiveness. Prussia may well be proud of her accomplishment during the past hundred years, both in creating a new and highly efficient administrative system and in extending her influence and rule over other members of the Germanic family. Prussia has always been a militaristic State, and has never put off the military uniform even when creating and developing a stupendous industrial and commercial system. Prussia has always conceived of history as a struggle between either the Teuton and the Slav, the Teuton and the Frank, the Teuton and the Anglo-Saxon, or the Teuton and somebody else. She always thinks of the Teuton as fighting. She studies her neighbors not in terms of friendship and co-operation, but in terms of rivalry and fear. These have always been the characteristics of Prussia; and as the modern European system developed, and Prussian thought came under the control of a new and almost ecstatic political philosophy which placed Prussia at the pinnacle of history's greatness, sharply marked off by its inherent superiority from the remaining world, it was but a short step to the conviction, perfectly sincere, that it would be good for the remaining world to be brought under the domination of the Prussian political philosophy. To a normal Prussian the army seemed the best and most natural agent for use in this process of world salvation. Men otherwise sober and self-contained, scholars otherwise learned and highly trained, men of affairs otherwise practical and shrewd to the point of cunning, became enamored of the vista which was thus spread out before them. When Houston Chamberlain told the Prussians that they were the modern elect, his tribute was received as a matter of course and as being fully deserved. To the onlooker there is in all this an absence of saving humor to a degree that is almost incredible; nevertheless, it is the combination of Prussian history, Prussian pride, Prussian political philosophy and Prussian lack of humor that has created what is known as Prussian militarism. It is this curiously composite and elusive but yet terribly real thing which Mr. Asquith demands shall be brought to an end.

How can this be done? Prussian military domination is ended as far as the rest of the world is concerned when the German armies are defeated, and when the military force of the Allies proves itself adequate not only to restrain the German armies from further advance, but to drive them back upon their own territory broken and defeated. This, however, can hardly be the whole of the end which Mr. Asquith has in mind. So far as Prussian militarism is a menace to Europe because of its power, its zeal, and its determination in attack, it can and will be restrained by the outcome of this war. In so far, however, as Prussian militarism is a state of mind it cannot be exorcised by any forcible process whatsoever. It can be got rid of only by a change of heart on the part of the German people themselves. Herein lies the hope of the future and herein is an essential element of a durable peace.

There is an analogy which Americans should not overlook between the condition in which Prussia will, according to all signs, shortly find itself and the condition in which the Southern States of the American Union were left at the close of the civil war. Though defeated on the field of battle, the leaders of Southern opinion and the men and women of the South generally never changed their minds as to the justice and correctness of the cause for which they fought so bravely. For a whole generation after Appomattox they spoke of "the lost cause," and while they admitted the cause was lost, they continued to insist that it had been just. After sixty years conditions have so changed that all this is largely a matter of history. Men who fought face to face in the opposing armies can, and often do, discuss with the utmost calmness and in the friendliest possible spirit the causes and issues of the conflict that shook the Union to its foundations from 1861-65. The lesson would appear to be that when Germany is defeated she will not of necessity—and, indeed, probably will not at all—change her mind as to the correctness of her position in this war and as to the justice of her cause. But, as in the case of the South, after a half-century has passed this will be only a matter of academic discussion and debate. Prussian militarism will be overthrown so far as the Allies' armies can overthrow it when Germany is brought to join in arrangements for a durable peace on the basis of justice.

The German people themselves must do the rest. It is probably true that whatever may have been the German Emperor's personal preferences in July, 1914, this war would never have taken place had the revolutionary movement of 1848 resulted differently in Germany. The failure of that movement, involving as it did the emigration to America of a considerable body of German Liberals and the slow elimination from German public life of that powerful and constructive type of Liberal found in every other European country, left Germany without the strong impulse toward democratic politics which the revolution of 1688 gave to England and the revolution of 1789 to France. With the disappearance of the German Liberal the line of demarkation between the ultra-Conservative on the one hand and the advanced Socialist on the other became increasingly sharp, and under the benign possibilities of the Prussian electoral system and of the Imperial German Constitution the power of the ultra-Conservative element has been maintained even in the face of a large increase in the number of Socialists. It is this ultra-Conservative element in German, with its dominant philosophy of life and of politics, that has come into conflict with the liberal nations of the Western World. Just as Napoleon by the sheer force of his personality and his military genius gathered into his own hands for twenty years all the power and the energy of post-revolutionary France, so the ultra-Conservative Prussian has gathered into his hands for more than twenty years all the power and energy of non-revolutionized Germany. Following Waterloo, Napoleon's throne quickly tottered and fell.

After a few years of stagnation and reaction France resumed its forward post-revolutionary progress until it became the French Republic of today. A similar development doubtless lies before Prussia and the German people. They themselves must determine what the form and the spirit of their own government are to be, and no other nation or group of nations, however completely victorious, can undertake to change it for them without throwing away the very principles for which the war is being waged by them. The victory over Prussian militarism considered as a state of mind, and the making over of non-revolutionized Germany into a more liberal and more democratic State, are tasks for the German people themselves. There is no compulsory road to repentance. It is incredible that a people of their intellectual force, discipline, power of organization, and scientific competence should not in due time view the democratic movement precisely as France and Great Britain have viewed it. When this comes about, Germany will displace her Machtpolitik for the Interessenpolitik upon which Bismarck laid such constant stress. She will, to use another of Bismarck's striking phrases, again justly measure "das Gewicht der Imponderabilien" and moral law will be recognized as applying to the conduct of her public policies as well as to that of her private life.

It is true that Prussian militarism must be wholly and finally destroyed before the peace of the world will be really secure, but inasmuch as it can only be wholly and finally destroyed by the German people themselves, the war need not be continued until that end is accomplished. All that the Allies can do toward the destruction of Prussian military domination is to confine it to Germany. When so confined it will disappear not slowly, but relatively fast by reason of its own weight and untimeliness.

There is, however, one way in which Prussian militarism might emerge victorious even if the German armies are finally defeated on the field of battle—that is, if the spirit and policies of Prussian militarism should conquer the mind of Great Britain or that of any other allied power. A Hymn of Hate is as uniovely when sung in English as when sung in German. The destruction of liberal policies and practices under the guise of national necessity differs but little from "die Not kennt kein Gebot," with which Chancellor von Bethmann Hollweg defended the ravishing of Belgium. The Allies, and particularly Great Britain, have urgent need to be on their guard that when they are defeating Prussian militarism on the field of battle, it does not gain new and striking victories over them in the field of ideas. A durable peace requires that Prussian militarism be wholly and finally destroyed; first, by the allied armies in the field; second, by the German people in their domestic policies; and, third, by the allied powers in keeping it from invading their own political systems.

COSMOS.

DEBUTANTES DANCE AT RITZ-CARLTON

The First of Two Events Arranged by Prominent Women for Their Daughters.

FIVE ARE DINNER HOSTESSES

Mrs. G. B. Phelps Gives a Dance for Her Debutante Daughter, Miss Frances Ballard, at Sherry's.

The first if two dances arranged by prominent women for their débutante daughters took place last evening in the ballroom of the Ritz-Carlton. It was preceded by five dinners, and every girl who attended the dance was a guest at one of the dinners.

There were five dinner hostesses, Mrs. Ernesto G. Fabbri gave her dinner at the Ritz-Carlton for her débutante daughter, Miss Terese Fabbri. Mrs. Fabbri added to her own guests those who were to attend the dinner which Mrs. Harry Payne Whitney had planned for her daughter, Miss Flora Whitney, and which Mrs. Whitney was obliged to abandon owing to the death of her sister-in-law, Mrs. Almeric Hugh Paget.

Mrs. J. Woodward Haven's dinner was for her daughter, Miss Katherine S. Haven. Mrs. Le Roy King gave a dinner for her débutante niece, Miss Helen Cameron. Mrs. Walter B. James entertained for her daughter, Miss Helen James, and Mrs. Stanley Mortimer gave a dinner for débutantes.

Among the girls at the dance were the Misses Barbara and Joan Allen, Elizabeth S. Howard, Alice Huntington, Eleanor Mortimer, Leslie Murray, Helen Headley, Elizabeth Morgan, Beatrice Chanler, Mary L. Post, Nathalie Bishop, Evelyn Preston, Frances Pearsall Field, Elizabeth Remsen, Pauline Bacon, Katharine de B. Parsons, Rita Norrie, Mary and Emma Knapp, Edith Mortimer, Madeleine Carey, Marion Carey Dinsmore and others.

The second of the dances will be held just before Lent, which begins on Feb. 21. Besides the hostesses named the women who are giving the dances include Mrs. Edwin D. Morgan, Mrs. Winthrop Chanler, Mrs. Robert Huntington, Mrs. J. Archibald Murray, Mrs. Frederick H. Allen and Mrs. Thomas H. Howard.

Dance for Miss Ballard.

Mrs. George B. Phelps of 147 West Seventy-fourth Street entertained at Sherry's last evening with a dance for her younger and débutante daughter, Miss Frances H. Ballard. The tapestry suite was used, and about 300 guests were asked. Mrs. Phelps, assisted by the débutante and her elder daughter, Miss Anna Carter Ballard, received the guests.

Among those asked were Mr. and Mrs. O. Carley Harriman, Mr. and Mrs. Henry C. Steers, Mr. and Mrs. William Cleveland Macy, Mr. and Mrs. Frederick F. Alexandre, the Misses Elizabeth Chapin, Margaret Van B. Mason, Mary Colt, Eunice Clapp, Margaret C. Henderson, Kathleen Macy, Caryl Hackstaff, Ada Norfleet, Joy and Hope Williams, Ellen McCarter, Madelaine Lynch, Cora Shields of Philadelphia, and Nina Ryan, William Rockefeller, Lester Armour, Cord Meyer, Edward McIlvaine, Sloan Colt, Maynard Tyson, Henry H. Landon, Jr., Otis Guernsey, Frederick Cunningham, Coster Steers, Henry W. Ford, and Lindell Bates.

Many of the students at Princeton and Yale were asked, and Mrs. Warren S. Sillcocks brought her party of forty from the theatre to the dance.

Reception for Miss Thompson.

Mrs. George Thompson of 162 East Sixty-first Street gave yesterday the second of two afternoon receptions to introduce her daughter, Miss Zillah Townsend Thompson. Among the young girls who assisted in receiving were the Misses Phoebe Guthrie, Esther Kimball, Jeannette Pruyn, Elsie Saltus, Elise Provoost Smith, Anne Scott Brown, Katherine Anderson, Angela Moore, Augusta de Forest, Isabella Thurston, Candace Howard, and Helen L. Dudgeon.

BRIDE OF RAFAEL RIOS.

Miss Marie Dowd Weds in Brooklyn—E. J. Berwind Best Man.

Miss Marie Dowd, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. John J. Dowd, of 101 Lincoln Place, Brooklyn, and Rafael Rios, were married yesterday afternoon in St. Augustine's Church, Brooklyn. Mons. McCarty officiated.

Mr. Rios is manager of the foreign department of the Berwind-White Coal Mining Company of 1 Broadway, and his best man was E. J. Berwind of 2 East Sixty-fourth Street, this city, President of the company.

MISS SILLCOCKS'S DEBUT.

Introduced by Her Mother at a Tea Dance at the Plaza.

Mrs. Warren Scott Sillcocks of 137 West Seventy-sixth Street gave a tea dance yesterday at the Plaza to introduce her daughter, Miss Marjorie Sillcocks, a dinner and theatre party following. A number of the season's buds and several of last season received with Miss Sillcocks.

Miss Atkinson Weds J. W. Murray.

The wedding of Miss Dolores Laura Atkinson of 133 East Thirty-fourth Street and James Wilson Murray of Ossining took place last evening at 6 o'clock in the ballroom of the Hotel Gotham. The Rev. J. J. Byrne of St. Patrick's Cathedral officiated.

Bierman-Perlman Engagement.

Mr. and Mrs. Max Bierman of 316 East Fifth Street announce the engagement of their daughter, Miss Florence Bierman, to Nathan D. Perlman, Assemblyman of the Sixth District and son of Mr. and Mrs. Victor Perlman of 314 East Fourth Street. Miss Bierman is a student at Barnard. No date has been set for the wedding.

GOLDSMITH—FRANK.

Miss Enid Frank, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Julius J. Frank of 345 West Eighty-eighth Street, and Morton Goldsmith of Pittsburgh, were married yesterday noon at the residence of the bride by the Rev. Dr. John Lovejoy Elliott. After a trip South they will live in Pittsburgh.

Ten Allies' Ball Netted $47,000.

John Moffat, Chairman of the Society of the Ten Allies, which gave the costume ball at Madison Square Garden Tuesday night, said yesterday that the receipts from the sale of boxes and tickets amounted to $46,548.90. There will also be some small amounts to be received which will bring the total to more than $47,000. Every dollar of this amount will be devoted to the relief of the war victims in the allied countries, money to cover all expenses of the ball having been previously subscribed.

Five Beauties Chosen for Bazaar.

Five of the six young women rated as the most beautiful in New York City, who are to act as aids at the Russian-American Relief Bazaar, which opens on Dec. 4, have been selected. They are Miss Cecilia Wright, who is an aeroplane and motor enthusiast; Miss Pauline French, Miss Justine Johnson, who recently won a $5,000 prize as a national beauty; Miss Harriet Burt, who retired from the stage two years ago, and Miss Nancy Palmer, an artists' model. The sixth beauty is to be announced this week.

JOSIAH QUINCY BENNETT.

Death in Cambridge of a Well-Known Banker and Business Man.

Special to The New York Times.

BOSTON, Nov. 29.—Josiah Quincy Bennett, President of many large companies, died this afternoon at his home, 49 Linnaean Street, Cambridge. He had been in ill-health since last May, when he was stricken with a slight stroke of apoplexy, and death was due to arterio sclerosis of the brain and kidneys.

Mr. Bennett furnished the power for the first electric car ever run in Massachusetts. He was 62 years of age, was born in Somerville and educated in the public schools of that city. He began life as a bank messenger, and was soon cashier of the Old Market Bank in Boston. Later he became President of the Mercantile Trust Company. When the trial trip of the first electric car ever operated in the State was made he was head of the Cambridge Power Company that furnished electricity for the run. The car went from Harvard Square to North Cambridge.

Mr. Bennett leaves a widow, Mrs. Jennie H. Bennett, a daughter, Mrs. Ralph Sparks, and three sons, Whitman Bennett, business manager of the Famous Players, Lasky Corporation; Edward L. Bennett of the banking firm of C. D. Parker & Co., and J. Clark Bennett, who was associated in business with his father.

The funeral will be held at his home in Cambridge on Saturday afternoon at 2:30 o'clock.

MRS. MARY A. A. STILES DIES.

Writer Was the Widow of the Rev. William C. Stiles of Brooklyn.

Mrs. Mary Allen Arey Stiles, member of a Puritan family which settled in New England in the seventeenth century, and widow of the Rev. William Curtis Stiles, Congregational clergyman, author and editor, died on Tuesday night at her home, 1,256 Fifty-sixth Street, Brooklyn, of heart disease. Although her health had been failing for months, she had been seriously ill only for a short time.

Mrs. Stiles was born at Wellfleet, Mass., on March 19, 1854, and like her husband and her two sons, Meredith N. and Kent B. Stiles, who hold editorial positions with the Associated Press, she was a writer. She was a frequent contributor of stories, verses and articles to the Congregationalist, and much of her work was published in The Youth's Companion and religious and juvenile publications. Her husband, whom she married at Orleans, Mass., in 1876, while he was a divinity student in Tufts College, was for a long time pastor of the old East Congregational Church of Brooklyn.

In addition to her two sons, Mrs. Stiles is survived by a daughter, Miss Rachel T. Stiles, a teacher in Manual Training High School; her mother, Mrs. B. O. Newcomb; a sister, Miss Elsie C. Newcomb, a teacher in Brooklyn public schools, and a brother, Cecil E. Newcomb, of Wellfleet, Mass.

Funeral services will be held tomorrow afternoon at 2 o'clock in the Central Congregational Church. The body will be sent to Wellfleet for burial.

Colonel George Washington.

Colonel George Washington, a civil war veteran, who had served fourteen years in the House of Representatives at Washington and seventeen years in the Kansas Legislature, died on Tuesday at his home in Topeka in his eighty-fourth year. He first became prominent in State affairs in Kansas when he organized and commanded a company during the civil war, which later was incorporated with the Fourth Kansas Cavalry. Colonel Washington was born in Daviess County, Ind.

Martinus T. Steyn Dead.

BLOEMFONTEIN, Union of South Africa, Nov. 29.—Martinus T. Steyn, President of the Orange Free State from 1896 to 1900, died suddenly today while addressing a women's congress.

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BAYARD THAYER DEAD.

Boston Millionaire Sportsman Dies on Return from Hunting Trip.

Special to The New York Times.

BOSTON, Mass., Nov. 29.—Bayard Thayer, millionaire sportsman, died at the family home in South Lancaster today, a few hours after his return from a two weeks' hunting trip in North Carolina. Heart disease was the cause of death. Mr. Thayer, who was 54 years of age, was the youngest of the four sons of the late Nathaniel Thayer, the banker, and a grandson of the Rev. Dr. Nathaniel Thayer, one of the leaders in the early Unitarian movement.

Obituary Notes.

WILLIAM DOXEY, veteran publisher of San Francisco, Baltimore, New York, and Chicago at diff erent times, died in Chicago yesterday, aged 71 years.

WILLIAM PARKHURST TUTTLE, son of the late Rev. Samuel Lawrence Tuttle, died yesterday at his home in Madison, N. J., in his seventy-fourth year.

Mrs. DAISY POST BRUEN, wife of Theodore A. Bruen, is dead at her home in Orange, N. J. She was born in New York, and had lived twenty years in East Orange.

Sister MARY BEATRIX SEIDEL-HODD, aged 72, for fifty-two years a member of the Visitation Order of Sisters, and for thirty-nine years in charge of the Mount de Chantel Academy in Wheeling, W. Va., died there yesterday.

Lieutenant ABRAHAM IRWIN, 58 years old, for thirty-seven years in the Police Department, died yesterday of acute indigestion at his home, 454½ Decatur Street, Brooklyn. For the last two years he was on Inspector Thomas J. Kelly's staff in the Twelfth Inspection District, Queens.

JOSEPH P. EAGER, a stock broker at 20 Broad Street and former member of the New York Stock Exchange, is dead at his home, 935 St. Nicholas Avenue, in his forty-seventh year. He was a member of the Society of the Colonial Wars and the Sons of the American Revolution.

PHILIP STUDEMANN, for many years in the employ of the Tuttle-Bailey Manufacturing Company in Brooklyn, died at his home, 1,066 Nistrand Place, Brooklyn, aged 81 years. He left a widow and two sons.

JOHN J. LAND, 78 years old, a retired builder and a former resident of Long Branch, N. J., is dead at his home, 1,030 Lorimer Street, Brooklyn, leaving a widow, four sons, and a daughter.

Mrs. ELLA KNOX FOSTER, wife of William J. Foster, a Manhattan lawyer, died from heart disease on Tuesday at her home, 898 Hancock Street, Brooklyn, aged 43 years.

THOMAS FERGUSON, well known in the insurance business in Manhattan and for many years with the firm of Johnson & Higgins, died recently at his home, 568 Fourth Street, South Brooklyn. He was 46 years old and belonged to the New York Athletic Club and the Drug and Chemical Club. His wife and two daughters survive him.

JAMES B. KINAHAN, for many years in the employ of the Barrett Manufacturing Company, died at his home, 244 Johnson Street, Brooklyn, on Monday from heart disease. He was 72 years old and left a widow, a son, and a daughter.

Mrs. ANNE E. BOND, an inmate of the Graham Home for Old Ladies in Brooklyn, died at that institution yesterday in her one hundredth year.

JOHN D. SEDGWYN, a proofreader with The Brooklyn Eagle for eleven years, died on Tuesday at his home, 387 Clinton Street, Brooklyn. He was born fifty-seven years ago in New Orleans, La., and for several years was a chess expert for Southern newspapers. He left a widow.

STANISLAUS VON LECZINSKY, a photographer, for thirty years in business in Brooklyn, died on Tuesday at his residence, 202 Flatbush Avenue, in his fifty-seventh year. He was a native of Poland, and is survived by his wife and three sons.

WILLIAM BOESCH, 71 years old, a retired business man, died at his home, 416 East Fifth Street, Flatbush, on Tuesday.

Dr. PHILIP MILLS JONES, since 1902 editor of the California State Journal of Medicine, died in San Francisco on Monday in his sixty-sixth year. Dr. Jones was born in Brooklyn, and was educated at the Polytechnic Institute in Brooklyn, the New York University, and the Long Island College Hospital, from which he was graduated in 1891. For the next nine years he practiced medicine in Brooklyn, and then for two years was engaged in archaeological work for the University of California. He was the organizer of the California State Medical Society, of which he was Secretary, a Trustee of the American Medical Association, and a member of the American Academy of Medicine. In December of last year he married Miss Helen Louise Spalding.

GEORGE SHIPWAY, Statistical Secretary of the World's Sunday School Association, died on his home in Birmingham, England, according to information received in Pittsburgh by H. J. Heinz, Chairman of the association. He was one of the most prominent Sunday School workers in Europe.

WELLS HASTINGS TUTTLE, a pioneer manufacturer of grain reapers and tooth harrows, died at his home in Canandaigua, N. Y., yesterday. He was born in Perry, N. Y., sixty years ago. Mr. Tuttle was President of the Perry Knitting Company and actively associated with other important business enterprises.

JOHN F. LEAHY, 63 years old, an employe in the Department of Highways of the Borough of Queens, died yesterday at his home, 4 Forty-second Street, Corona.

Mrs. CHARLOTTE MUNKITTRICK, 79 years old, died yesterday at her home in Caldwell, N. J. She was born in Quebec, Canada, and is survived by four sons and four daughters.

CUTLER DUNN PARKER, formerly a well-known organist and composer of church music, died on Monday at his home in Brookline, Mass. He was the author of the "Redemption Hymn," the cantata of "St. John," and "The Blind King."

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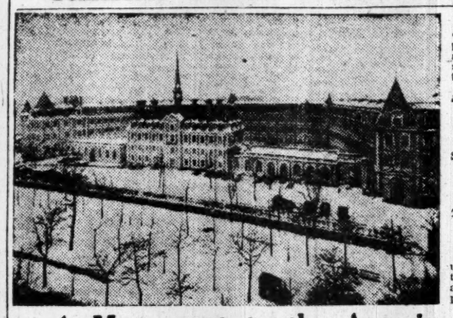

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FOX.—To Mr. and Mrs. Herbert B. Fox of 215 West 101st St., New York City, on Nov. 27, 1916, a boy.

GREENMAN.—To Mr. and Mrs. Saul Greenman, nee Rose Sadowsky, at 127 West 111th St., a daughter, on Monday morning, Nov. 27, 1916.

McDERMOTT.—Nov. 11, at Woman's Hospital, to Mr. and Mrs. John McDermott, a son.

Married.

CASE—TAYLOR.—On Tuesday, Nov. 28, 1916, at the Brick Presbyterian Church, Rochester, by the bride's father, assisted by Rev. Dr. Graham Taylor of Chicago and Rev. Livingston Ludlow Taylor of Canandaigua, Anne, second daughter of Rev. William Rivers Taylor of Rochester, and John Crowther Case of New York, son of the late Howard B. Case of New York and London.

CLARK — MacGREGOR. — Sunday, April 16, 1916, in the parsonage of the Presbyterian Church, Newburg, N. Y., Bessie MacGregor to Hamilton R. Clark.

ROBINSON—ADAIR.—At Elizabeth, N. J., on Wednesday, Nov. 29, by the Rev. Lyttleton E. Hubbard, rector of St. John's Church, Catharine Helen, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. William A. Adair, to Parker Morrill Robinson.

EVANS—WILCOX.—Nov. 28, Fanny P. Wilcox to Lawrence J. Evans.

JORDAN—DAVIS.—Nov. 27, Marion I. Davis to Albert C. Jordan.

SMITH—NEEL.—Nov. 25, Evelyn L. Neel to W. H. Smith.

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POWELL—WILLIAMS.—Nov. 28, Marian W. Powell to Theodore D. Williams.

Died.

BENNETT.—Josiah Quincy, 62 years 15 days, at his home, 49 Linnaean St., Cambridge, Mass., Wednesday, Nov. 29. Funeral from residence Saturday afternoon, Dec. 2.

BICKMAN.—At Copeley Plaza Hotel, Boston, Nov. 28, Mrs. George Bickman, (Josephine Haskins Bickman.) Funeral Friday, 2 P. M., Forest Hills Cemetery Chapel, Boston.

BLOXHAM.—William, husband of the late Frances Atchison, Tuesday, Nov. 28, in his 82d year. Funeral services Thursday, Nov. 30, at 1:30 P. M. from his late residence, Westbury, L. I.

BORLAND.—At Woodbury, L. I., Nov. 27, Mary Louise Hewlett Borland, in her 79th year. Funeral services on Friday, Dec. 1, at 1:30 P. M., from her late residence, Carriages will meet train arriving at Cold Spring Station, 12:16 P. M.

CASE.—At Boonton, N. J., at the residence of her son, Howard E. Case, Mary Olive Giles, widow of the late Joseph S. Case. Funeral private. Interment at the convenience of the family.

CHAPMAN. — Charlotte Knowlton, beloved wife of Edwin B. Chapman, Nov. 28, in her 43d year. Funeral will be held Friday, Dec. 1, at 11 o'clock, Christ Church, Greenwich, Conn. Train leaving New York at 9:13 A. M. will be met at the station. Interment private.

CHASE.—On Wednesday, Nov. 29, at his home, 205 Quincy St., Brooklyn, of pneumonia, Charles W. Chase, member of Lafayette Post, G. A. R., in the 85th year of his age. Services and interment at Canandaigua, N. Y.

CHRYSTIE.—At Havre, France, after a brief illness, Lucie, youngest daughter of the late Albert N. and Mary P. Chrystie. Baltimore papers please copy.

CURTIS.—Suddenly, at Norwalk, Conn., Nov. 28, 1916, William A. Curtis, in his 67th year. Services from his late home, 18 West Ave., Norwalk, Conn., Saturday, Dec. 2, 1916, at 2:30 P. M. Interment at Riverside Cemetery. Carriages will meet train leaving 12:03 noon.

DATER.—Nov. 29, 1916, Mary E., widow of George W. Dater. Services at late residence, Sloatsburg, N. Y., Saturday, Dec. 2, at 2 P. M. Interment Mahwah, N. J.

EAGLE.—On Tuesday, Nov. 28, at St. Luke's Home, Frances C., widow of Horatio Eagle and daughter of the late Ralph and Sybil Huntington May Post. Funeral service at St. Luke's Chapel, Broadway and 11th St., on Friday, Dec. 1, at 10:30 A. M.

EVEREST.—Rev. Haynes Lord Everest, this morning at his home in Naugatuck. Funeral Friday, 10:30 A. M., St. Michael's Episcopal Church, in Naugatuck. Interment in Cedar Hill Cemetery, Hartford, Conn.

FRIED.—Helen, beloved daughter of Abraham H. and Regina Fried and sister of Elsie, suddenly, on Tuesday, Nov. 28, aged 22. Funeral from her late residence, 1,983 7th Av., on Thursday, Nov. 30, at 2 P. M.

FULLER.—On Wednesday, Nov. 29, 1916, at his home, 11 Emery St., Jersey City, N. J., Almon D. Fuller in his 91st year. Funeral private. Interment at Cold Spring on the Hudson.

HANDES.—Mary A., on Nov. 28, at the residence of her nieces, Emily J. and Louise J. Madden, 208 East 157th St. Funeral Friday at 10 A. M. Solemn requiem at the Church of the Immaculate Conception, East 150th St. and Melrose Av., at 10:30 A. M. Interment Norwalk, Conn.

HIGGINS.—At his home, Greenwich, Conn., Nov. 28, 1916, A. Foster Higgins, in his eighty-sixth year. Funeral services at Christ Church, Friday, Dec. 1, at 3 P. M. Autos will meet train leaving G. C. Depot 2:04 P. M. Kindly omit flowers.

KING.—At his late residence, Centre Moriches, L. I., Nov. 28, 1916, William Rushton King, formerly of New York City, son of Henry and Abigail King. Funeral services Nov. 30 at 11:30 o'clock

KIRWAN.—Sarah J., Nov. 29, mother of Rev. F. W. Kirwan and Mrs. S. Revell. Funeral private. Please omit flowers.

McCREA. — In Atlantic City, on Tuesday, Nov. 28, Ernestine R. McCrea, wife of the late Augustine Lawrence McCrea and daughter of the late Hiram Reynolds and Laura Houghteling Reynolds.

McKEE.—At her late residence, 449A McDonough St., Brooklyn, on Nov. 29, Mary Augusta McKee. Services on Friday evening, Dec. 1, 1916, 8 o'clock.

MacPHERSON.—Suddenly, on Nov. 29, Frank J. MacPherson, aged 63 years. Funeral services from his late residence, Highland Av., Sea Gate, Friday, Dec. 1, 1916, at 1 P. M.

MERRILL.—Frederick James Hamilton, suddenly, on the 29th day of November, in Los Angeles, in his 55th year.

NORTH.—Thomas Clemson, Nov. 28, 1916, in Wilkes-Barre, Penn., aged 78, father of George B. North of New York, Mrs. P. W. Miller of St. David's, Penn., and Frederick North of Pittsburgh, Penn. Interment Friday at West Laurel Hill Cemetery, Philadelphia, Penn. Philadelphia and Pittsburgh papers please copy.

OSTERMAN.—Stella, beloved daughter of Ascher and the late Rachel Osterman, sister of Sidney, Walter, and Nathan. Funeral private.

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CALVARY BAPTIST CHURCH, West 57th St., between 6th and 7th Aves. Rev. JOSEPH W. KEMP, Pastor. 11 A. M., Thanksgiving Service.

ST. JAMES'S CHURCH, Madison Av. and 71st St. Rev. Frank Warfield Crowder, Ph. D., Rector. Thanksgiving Day:

8 A. M.—Holy Communion.
11 A. M.—Morning Prayer & Sermon—Rector.

THE MIDDLE COLLEGIATE CHURCH, 2d Ave. and 7th St.
Rev. JOHN G. FAGG, D. D., Minister. Service on Thanksgiving Day at 10:30 A. M. Dr. Fagg will preach.

THE MARBLE COLLEGIATE CHURCH, 5th Ave. and 29th St.
Rev. DAVID JAS. BURRELL, D.D., Minister. On Thanksgiving Day, (see announcement of service at the Collegiate Church of St. Nicholas.)

THE COLLEGIATE CHURCH OF ST. NICHOLAS, 5th Ave. and 48th St.
Rev. MALCOLM JAS. MACLEOD, D. D., Minister. On Thanksgiving Day the congregation of the Marble Collegiate Church unites with this congregation in a service in this church at 11 A. M.
Rev. David James Burrell, D. D., will preach. Subject: "Patriotism—What Is It?"

WEST END COLLEGIATE CHURCH, West End Ave. and 77th St.
Rev. HENRY EVERTSON COBB, D. D., Minister. On Thanksgiving Day the congregation of the Knox Memorial Chapel unites with this congregation in a service in this church at 11 A. M.
Dr. Cobb will preach.
Music by the Knox Memorial Choral Society.

THE FORT WASHINGTON COLLEGIATE CHURCH, Fort Washington Ave. and 181st St.
On Thanksgiving Day this congregation unites in a Union Service in the United Presbyterian Church, 172d St. and Audubon Ave., at 11 A. M.
Rev. Ford C. Ottman, D. D., will preach.

Died.

PITCHER.—On Wednesday, Nov. 29, 1916, David A. Pitcher of 275 Park Place, Brooklyn, in his 74th year. Notice of funeral hereafter.

REMBAUGH.—On Nov. 29, Martha C. Rembaugh, at her residence, 107 Waverly Place, New York City. Interment private.

RICE.—At Ossining, N. Y., Mabel Park Rice, wife of Percy W. Rice and daughter of Henry N. Curtis, on Nov. 29, 1916. Funeral service at her home, 35 Washington Av., Ossining, N. Y., on Friday, Dec. 1, at 3:15 o'clock.

ROE.—On Wednesday, Nov. 29, 1916, Amy Alms Chamberlain, wife of Albert S. Roe, in the 78th year of her age. Funeral services at her late residence, 174 West 72d Street, New York City, on Friday, Dec. 1, at 10:30 A. M. Interment at Woodlawn at the convenience of the family.

ROSENFELD.—Sarah A., beloved wife of Charles H. Rosenfeld, after a lingering illness, at 302 West 76th St., also mother of Mrs. William D. May, Jr., Davieson Power, and Llewelyn Power. Funeral services will be held Friday, Dec. 1, at 2 P. M., at Campbell's Chapel, 66th St. and Broadway. Interment private.

SACKETT.—Suddenly, Tuesday, Nov. 28, of angina pectoris, in 71st year, Robert Lytle, husband of Abbie Kingman Sackett; father of Maude S. Deming. Funeral at late home, 71 Harmon Av., Pelham, N. Y., Friday evening, Dec. 1, 8:30 P. M. Interment private.

SMILEY.—Suddenly, Nov. 27, Frank H., beloved husband of Mary T. Smiley, (nee Quinn.) Funeral services at the parlors of Richard J. Delaney, 130 Greenwich Av., near 8th Av. and 14th St., Thursday, Nov. 30, at 11 A. M. Interment private at Goshen, N. Y. Please omit flowers.

SMITH.—James J., 988 Ogden Av., Bronx, on Nov. 27, beloved husband of Dora Dornan. Funeral at 9:30 Friday morning from his late residence; thence to Sacred Heart Church, Bronx. Philadelphia papers please copy.

SPINGARN.—Elias, beloved husband of Sarah Spingarn, father of Joel Elias, Harry J., Arthur B., and Sigmund Spingarn, on Nov. 29. Funeral from his late residence, 52 West 90th St., Friday, Dec. 1, at 9:30 A. M.

STILES.—Mary Allen Arey Newcomb, widow of the Rev. William Curtis Stiles, at her residence, 1,256 56th St., Brooklyn, on Tuesday evening, Nov. 28, in her 63d year. Funeral services at Central Congregational Church, Hancock St., near Franklin Av., Brooklyn, at 2 P. M., Friday, Dec. 1. Interment at Wellfleet, Mass.

TAYLOR.—On Wednesday, Nov. 29, at Tupper Lake, N. Y., Alexander K. Taylor. Interment at Baltimore, Md. Baltimore papers please copy.

THAYER.—At Lancaster, Nov. 29, suddenly, Bayard Thayer. Funeral Saturday, Dec. 2, at 12 o'clock. Special train leaves Boston from North Station at 10:30 Saturday, arrives Lancaster 11:45, leaves Lancaster for Boston 1:30 P. M.

TUTTLE.—Suddenly, at his residence, Madison, N. J., Nov. 29, 1916, William Parkhurst, son of the late Amelia Camp and the Rev. Samuel Lawrence Tuttle, in the 74th year of his age. Funeral service at Webb Memorial Chapel, Madison, N. J., on Friday, Dec. 1, at 2:30 P. M. Lackawanna Railroad train leaves Hoboken at 2:30 P. M.

WILLETT.—On Nov. 27, at his residence, 67 East 85th St., George Willett, beloved husband of Josephine Willett, (nee Pappen.) Funeral service will be held at his late residence, Thursday evening, Nov. 30. Relatives and friends respectfully invited. Interment Cypress Hills.

BAILES.—Thomas G., Nov. 28. Funeral 874 Lexington Av., tomorrow, 1 P. M.

BAKER.—Bridget, 2,428 Maclay Av., Nov. 27. Funeral today.

COOKE.—Terence, 32 East 131st St., Nov. 27. Funeral today, 9:30 A. M.

CRANE.—Catherine, 140 Sherman Av., Nov. 27. Funeral today, 9:30 A. M.

CROWLEY.—Michael, 273 West 10th St., Nov. 28. Funeral today, 2 P. M.

EGAN.—Margaret, 511 West 130th St., Nov. 28. Funeral today, 9 A. M.

FREEBOUR.—Louis, 197 7th Av., Nov. 28. Funeral today, 8:30 A. M.

FULLER.—Margaret C., 2,332 Walton Av., Bronx, Nov. 28. Funeral notice later.

GREINER.—Katherine, 2,311 2d Av., Nov. 27, aged 51. Funeral today, 2 P. M.

KATZ.—Rudolph, 204 East 116th St., Nov. 28. Funeral today, 2 P. M.

LENGER.—Martin, 732 9th Av., Nov. 28. Funeral tomorrow.

LINBARGER.—John E., 52 West 125th St., Nov. 27.

MUELLER.—Bessie, 365 Brook Av., Bronx, Nov. 28. Funeral tomorrow, 2 P. M.

NEIDER.—Estelle, Nov. 25, aged 66. Funeral 161 8th Av.

Died.

O'CONNOR.—Cornelius, 722 Washington St., Nov. 28. Funeral tomirrow, 2 P. M.

ROSSITER.—Mary H., 10 East 22d St., Nov. 27, aged 62.

SCOTT.—Eliza, 209 West 15th St., Nov. 27. Funeral today, 9 A. M.

TIGHE.—Robert H., 214 East 39th St., Nov. 28. Funeral notice later.

WALSH.—William J., 133 West 130th St., Nov. 27. Funeral today.

WEIDENHAMMER. — Frederick, 116 East 93d St., Nov. 27, aged 70.

WILLIAMS.—James C., French Hospital, Nov. 28. Funeral tomorrow, 11 A. M.

Brooklyn.

BAYER.—Frank, 51 Hamburg Av., Nov. 28, aged 19. Funeral tomorrow, 9:30 A. M.

BECKEL.—Louisa, 10 Glenada Place, Nov. 28, aged 57.

BRITTON.—Joseph E., 102 Steuben St., Nov. 28. Funeral tomorrow, 9:30 A. M.

BOESCH.—William J., 416 East 5th St., Nov. 28.

BOND.—Anne E., 320 Washington Av., Nov. 29. Funeral tomorrow, 2:30 P. M.

CASSIDY.—Rebecca, 431 Court St., Nov. 27, aged 65.

CONNAUGHTON. — Martin, 15 St. Mark's Av., Nov. 28. Funeral today.

DOYLE.—James, 761 McDonough St., Nov. 28. Funeral today, 2 P. M.

FOSTER.—Ella K., 898 Hancock St., Nov. 28. Funeral service tomorrow.

FREYTAG.—Wilhelmina, 538 9th St., Nov. 28. Funeral today, 1 P. M.

HAMILTON.—Clement F., 302 South 5th St., Nov. 28, aged 28.

KEENEY.—Martha, 72 4th St., Nov. 27, aged 82.

KELTON.—Alberta B., 689 Monroe St., Nov. 27. Funeral today, 9:30 A. M.

MAY.—Henrietta, 809 Park Place, Nov. 28, aged 68.

MURRAY.—Ellen, 449 7th St., Nov. 28, aged 58. Funeral tomorrow, 9:30 A. M.

NAUDAIN.—Caroleen V., 73 Ashland Place, Nov. 28, aged 75. Funeral tomorrow.

NEEDHAM.—Elizabeth, 1,357 72d St., Nov. 28.

PYNE.—William J., 96 Oakland St., Nov. 27. Funeral today, 9:30 A. M.

ROCHFORD.—Ellen, 520 Court St., Nov. 27. Funeral today, 10:30 A. M.

ROGERS.—Leward O., 757 Herkimer St., Nov. 27, aged 45.

RYAN. — Mary H., 5,611 3d Av., Nov. 28. Funeral tomorrow, 9:30 A. M.

ST. JOHN. — Sarah J. R., 50 Euclid Av., Nov. 27.

WARD.—Michael A., 913 Kent Av., Nov. 29. Funeral notice later.

ZIMMER.—Frederick T., Jr., 54 Nichols Av., Nov. 27, aged 21. Funeral service today.

Hoboken, Jersey City, and Newark.

DILLON.—Patrick, 101 Bright St., Jersey City, Nov. 28. Funeral today, 8:30 A. M.

DRUMMOND.—Mary P., 114 Walnut St., Newark, Nov. 29, aged 71. Funeral tomorrow.

FARLEY.—Philip, Newark, Nov. 28. Funeral today, 8:30 A. M.

FINDLAY.—Martha, 230 Lafayette St., Newark, Nov. 28. Funeral today, 2 P. M.

FORSHEE.—John, 14 Oak St., Jersey City, Nov. 28.

FRANKLIN.—Olive H., 262 Clerk St., Jersey City, Nov. 28.

GLANFIELD.—Mary P., Newark, Nov. 29, aged 14 months.

HASEMANN.—Ann J., 514 Jersey Av., Jersey City, Nov. 27. Funeral today.

HOLLAND.—Elizabeth B., 102 Court St., Newark, Nov. 27. Funeral tomorrow, 10 A. M.

LONDEMA.—Hendrick, 518 Hudson St., Hoboken, Nov. 28, aged 14. Funeral today, 10 A. M.

McBRIDE.—Abram, 101 Lincoln St., Jersey City, Nov. 27, aged 36.

McGOVERN.—John, 217 9th St., Jersey City, Nov. 29.

MAYOW.—Hannah, 52 Searing St., Newark, Nov. 29.

MEEKER.—Mary, 285 Roseville Av., Newark, Nov. 28, aged 86. Funeral tomorrow.

MULLANE.—Mary J., 540 Jersey Av., Jersey City, Nov. 29.

NEALE.—Joseph W., 22 North 5th St., Newark, Nov. 29. Funeral notice later.

REGAN.—Bernard, 133 Clinton St., Hoboken, Nov. 27. Funeral today, 9 A. M.

REINEMAN.—Christian, 63 South St., Jersey City, Nov. 28. Funeral tomorrow, 8:30 A. M.

SHEA.—Ellen J. B., Jersey City, Nov. 28. Funeral tomorrow, 9 A. M.

STUMPF.—Frederick, 199 Congress St., Jersey City, Nov. 27, aged 36. Funeral tomorrow, 2 P. M.

TRACY.—Bernard J., 280 Varick St., Jersey City, Nov. 27.

VOLKER.—Wallace, Newark, Nov. 28. Funeral notice later.

Long Island.

BRANDMEIER.—Christian, Evergreen, Nov. 26, aged 40.

EHRMANN.—Mary, Hempstead, Nov. 28. Funeral notice later.

Died.

EIDSCHUN.—Norma R., Richmond Hill, Nov. 26.

GEBHARDT.—Mary, Ridgewood, Nov. 26, aged 70.

GREEN.—Anna, Astoria, Nov. 26, aged 60.

KNUTH.—Johannes, 290 5th Av., Long Island City, Nov. 26, aged 74.

LAUTENBACH

CURTAIN WILL BE WRUNG DOWN THIS AFTERNOON ON GRIDIRON SEASON OF 1916

FOOTBALL'S FINAL FLOURISH TODAY

Victory for Brown Over Colgate Will Give 1916 Title to Providence Team.

PENN AND CORNELL MEET

Rutgers-W. and J. and Fordham-Villanova Frays on Local Thanksgiving Day Gridiron Menu.

The final day of the football season of 1916 will have several annual fixtures, and, besides the Brown-Colgate game at Providence, there will be the Pennsylvania-Cornell grapple at Philadelphia, and the Washington and Jefferson-Rutgers game here. The Brown-Colgate event overtops the other contests in point of interest because a victory for Brown, which is expected, will give the Providence eleven the championship title of the East. The Penn-Cornell game is of course a fixture and is looked upon as the season's greatest event for the followers of the elevens of both universities.

The annual game at Pittsburgh between Pittsburgh and Penn State should furnish a contest long to be remembered in the meetings of these two elevens. Since they have been playing annual games, starting in 1904, each eleven has won six times and this year's event is expected to break the tie in Pitt's favor. The Panthers, in spite of their great success this season, look for a hard game with State. Among the Eastern elevens, Penn State is the leader in point scoring, having run up 348 to their opponents' 31.

Penn State's defeat by Penn 15 to 0, is the only defeat chalked against the Staters. As Pittsburgh defeated the same Pennsylvania team 20 to 0, it would appear that the Panthers had an advantage in the final game.

There are several Thanksgiving Day gridiron classics to be played in the South. Vanderbilt plays Sewanee at Nashville. It will be the twenty-eighth annual meeting and in that time the Commodores have won eighteen games and Sewanee seven.

At Atlanta, the Georgia Tech eleven, which leads the country in points scored, will play the strong Auburn eleven coached by Mike Donahue. Georgia Tech has run up 387 points this season in eight games. Pratt, the Tech linesman, is tied with Devitalis of Brown in goal kicking after touchdowns, each player having thirty-one successful consecutive boots to his credit.

Fordham will close the season with Villanova at Fordham Field and the local eleven expects to have an easy time. Next year Fordham's team will warrant a much stronger schedule than during the past season. Holy Cross will play its annual game against Boston college, coached by Charley Brickley. Georgetown will play George Washington today and will not finish the season until Dec. 9, when they will play Tulane at New Orleans.

Notre Dame will play Nebraska at Lincoln and a game of much interest in the Far West will bring together the University of Washington and the University of California at Seattle.

Rain or shine the schoolboy football double header scheduled for Ebbets Field this afternoon will take place. The games will bring together Commercial and New Utrecht and Boys' High and Manual Training.

The big game on the scholastic calendar will bring together Erasmus Hall and Poly Prep at Washington Park.

FORDHAM AWAITS VILLANOVA

Practices Specially Prepared Plays on Eve of Final Game.

Fordham University closed its football practice for the season yesterday in preparation for the final game with its old rival, Villanova, at Fordham Field today. The workout consisted entirely of signal work and a last trial of the new plays which have been prepared especially for the contest this afternoon. Following the outdoor work, Frank Gargan, the chief coach, gave a short blackboard drill, while Dempsey spent an extra session practicing field goals. Fordham has only been forced to try the kick method of scoring once this year, but if Villanova shows the strength it always has possessed in its annual tussles at Fordham, Dempsey's ability may come in mighty handy.

The Fordham had all their regulars out yesterday and it is expected that all the men who figured in the games against Holy Cross and Gallaudet will be in action. With only thirteen points scored by its rivals all season, the Bronx team will be the strongest aggregation that has faced Villanova in eight years. Villanova reached the city last night with all its players in good shape and will meet the Maroon with the same machine that romped off with a 33 to 0 victory a year ago.

ELI ELEVEN CELEBRATES.

Will See Penn-Cornell Game as Guests of U. of P. 'Varsity Club.

Special to The New York Times.

NEW HAVEN, Conn., Nov. 29.—The Yale football eleven has been enjoying an outing as a testimonial of its victories over Harvard and Princeton. It left here this afternoon and will be the guests of the 'Varsity Club, University of Pennsylvania, until after tomorrow's game on Franklin Field between Pennsylvania and Cornell. The 'Varsity club is composed of athletes who have won their insignia by participation in Pennsylvania sports.

The Yale squad was accompanied by several members of the Yale Athletic Committee, who were included in the invitation. They were entertained at dinner tonight and afterward at the theatre, and will witness the football game tomorrow. Fifteen members of the Yale eleven made the trip. The invitation is regarded by Yale men as having made chances of a Yale-Pennsylvania game brighter for next Fall than since the Elis and the Quakers split in 1894.

War Secretary Felicitates Cadets.

Special to The New York Times.

WASHINGTON, Nov. 29.—Secretary of War Baker today sent the following telegram to the Superintendent of the United States Military Academy at West Point:

"I wish you would express to the members of the Cadet Corps my heartiest congratulations on their fine victory on Saturday. It was a splendid exhibition of skill and the fine spirit of sportsmanship and good feeling displayed by the members of the Cadet Corps of the two academies is deserving of the highest commendation. The army met a worthy foe, and their victory is all the more notable on that account."

Will Honor Coach Sharpe.

Special to The New York Times.

ITHACA, N. Y., Nov. 29.—When Dr. Sharpe arrives in Philadelphia with the Cornell football team tomorrow he will be met by Percy Warner Tinan, '03, of Manila, Philippine Islands, who has come from the Philippines to witness the annual Penn-Cornell game and to present Cornell's head coach with a silver-mounted Camagon cane, the gift of the Cornell alumni in the Philippines.

W. AND J. PRACTICES HERE.

Drills on Polo Grounds for Game with Rutgers Today.

The Washington and Jefferson football eleven went through an hour's work at the Polo Grounds yesterday afternoon as the final touch to its preparations for the game with Rutgers at the Brush Stadium this afternoon. D. C. Morrow directed the practice in the absence of Coach Sol Metzger, who was compelled to keep to his room because of a slight attack of ptomaine poisoning. The team went through its paces without a hitch. Kicking, punting, and signal practice occupied the afternoon's work with particular attention to the signals.

The team will send its best line-up against the New Brunswick collegians this afternoon. Two of the team's stars, Nuss and Ruble, who have not played since the Yale game in which they were injured, reported for practice Monday, and both were playing in good form yesterday. They will take their places in the line-up today. The team averages 160 pounds, and its average age is twenty years, making it one of the youngest and lightest elevens in the country.

The Rutgers representatives had their final workout for the game on their own field yesterday afternoon, and are expected in New York this morning. The team is in better shape for the game this afternoon than at any other time this season, and is confident that it will defeat Sol Metzger's pupils.

The teams will probably line up as follows:

W. and J.	Position.	Rutgers.
Carroll	L. E.	Feitner
Henry	L. T.	Randall
Wimberly	L. G.	Hazel
Guy	C.	Mason
Drew	R. G.	Garrett
Loucks	R. T.	Robeson
Tressel	R. E.	Storck
Stobbs	Q. B.	Scarr
Nuss	L. H. B.	Wallace
Ruble	R. H. B.	Elliott
McCreight	F. B.	Whitehill

Referee—Nathan A. Tufts, Brown. Umpire—Fred Murphy, Brown. Field judge—Carl Marshall, Pennsylvania. Linesman—Thomas J. Thorp, Columbia.

PITT BOYS ARE CONFIDENT.

Coach Warner Also Sure of Victory Over Penn State.

Special to The New York Times.

PITTSBURGH, Penn., Nov. 29.—The University of Pittsburgh football squad had its last workout this afternoon preparatory to the game with Penn State tomorrow. A long signal practice was indulged in and some light scrimmaging, while Hastings and McLaren did some punting, Jimmy Dehart taking most of the spirals. Three Pitt players will bid farewell to football tomorrow—Captain Peck, Herron, and Thornhill, whose places will be hard to fill next year. Coach Warner has a splendid bunch of second-string men, however, and the student body is not worrying about the future. The gates were opened to the students today and they indulged in rehearsal of new songs and yells for use tomorrow afternoon.

Coach Warner was asked for a final word today regarding the work of the season, and had this to say:

"The dopesters in the East think we are not of championship calibre because we almost lost to the Navy early in the season. Well, that was the worst game we played. We have no trick plays, nor any new formations for tomorrow. We will play straight football, and Penn State knows all our plans of play. We want to be that way, for our machine is of such calibre that we can telegraph our formations to the other side and make gains. The boys are as confident as I on that score."

GENERALS FIT FOR BATTLE.

Washington and Lee Eleven Meets North Carolina Team Today.

LEXINGTON, Va., Nov. 29.—Having left here this morning for Raleigh, N. C., where it will meet North Carolina A. and M. in its annual Thanksgiving contest, the Washington and Lee football team will play tomorrow its last game of the season. The game will also be the last in which Captain Cy Young and Quarter Back Battle Bagley will play on the gridiron for Washington and Lee and the last that Jogger Elcock, the Dartmouth star, will direct as coach of the Generals. Young and Bagley will be graduated in June and Elcock will retire from coaching to devote his whole time to business. There is still some doubt as to how the Generals will line up at the beginning of the A. and M. contest, but Bethel appears to have cinched his place at right end. It is not until the final game of the season that the make-up of the team is taken here to determine which men are to be considered as regulars, and during the last ten days hard fights have been waged at several doubtful position for the honor of starting in the game with the Aggies.

Practically the entire student body came out on Wilson Field yesterday to give the team a send-off before its departure for Raleigh. The demonstration was the biggest given the eleven this season.

MATINEE BOXING TODAY.

Johnny Dundee and Eddie Wallace the Chief Attraction.

Thanksgiving Day will be fittingly observed by local boxing clubs. Several clubs in the metropolitan district have arranged special matinée shows for the holiday, and in each case the exhibitions give promise of plenty of action. Johnny Dundee, whose bout with lightweight champion Freddy Welsh, which was scheduled for tonight at Madison Square Garden, was called off when the promoters failed to get a license, will appear in the ring of the Broadway Sporting Club of Brooklyn against Eddie Wallace, the Brooklyn lightweight. The latter has attracted considerable attention since his recent popular victory over the lightweight champion in a bout in Canada. The first preliminary will be put on at 3:30 o'clock.

At the Pioneer S. C., on West Forty-fourth Street, this afternoon, two ten-round bouts, in addition to the usual preliminary contests, will be staged, the show starting at 3 o'clock. In the feature bout Bob Moha, the Milwaukee light heavyweight, and Bartley Madden of Jersey City will be the principals. Another ten-round contest will bring together Tommy Touhey of Paterson, N. J., and Eddie McEntee, a Harlem featherweight.

Billy Miske, the St. Paul light heavyweight, is scheduled to box Gunboat Smith of California at the Clermont A. C. of Brooklyn in the main ten-round bout this afternoon. Young Russo and Johnny Hermann will be opponents in the other ten-round bout.

Yale Asked to Change Date.

NEW BRUNSWICK, Nov. 29.—A squad of forty men is now reporting to Frank Hill, coach of the Rutgers basket ball team, and practice has been started in earnest. Though there are only two veterans left, there are a lot of former prep school stars. Yale has offered to play Rutgers on the home court here, but the locals have asked for a change of date as the date follows too close on the Princeton game.

C. C. N. Y. Freshman Harriers Win.

The C. C. N. Y. freshman cross-country squad easily defeated the team from Yonkers High School in a run held yesterday afternoon over the local three and a half mile course. The score was 22 to 33.

ADVERTISEMENT.

FORDHAM vs. VILLANOVA, 2:30 Today. Fordham Field, Adm. 75c.

Rutgers vs. Washington and Jefferson, Today, Polo Grounds, 2 P. M. Reserved Seats $2.00.

BROWN BENT UPON 1916 CHAMPIONSHIP

Eleven at Top Form, but Expects Hardest Fight of Season from Colgate.

Special to The New York Times.

PROVIDENCE, R. I., Nov. 29.—With the cheers of the undergraduates and the music of the brass band ringing in their ears, the Brown football squad ran through signals for the last time this afternoon, and the eleven is all ready for Colgate in the morning. Victory will mean the football championship of 1916. Never before in the history of athletics at Brown has there been so much interest in this city in a football game, and Andrews Field will be filled to capacity. Hundreds of persons will be disappointed, for there is not a ticket to be had for love or money, and many old Brown men are journeying to this city from far and near, hoping to see the game. Speculators are reported to have a few tickets which they are holding for tomorrow morning at big prices.

Coach Robinson and his assistants, Buck Whittemore and Earl Sprackling, are not any too optimistic over the outcome of the game, although they feel that Brown has better than an even chance to win. Whittemore has followed the Colgate team this Fall, and he has repeatedly impressed upon the Brown players that they are going to meet an eleven even better than Harvard or Yale. Given a dry field, and prospects tonight do not appear any too encouraging. The Brown undergraduates are pinning their hopes on Pollard. If Colgate does stop this dusky star it will be more than any one else has been able to do this season.

Pollard was never in better shape than he is tonight, and, as a matter of fact, Coach Robinson has been wonderfully successful in keeping his men on edge after the climax of the season had been really reached over a week ago at Harvard. The players this afternoon in signal drill showed plenty of energy and ran through play after play with all the precision and smoothness previously displayed.

No new plays will be used tomorrow. It has not been necessary in either of the big games this Fall to use all that the eleven has up its sleeve. Hillhouse this afternoon was punting better than at any time this season, many of his kicks going well over sixty yards. Judging from the line-up in the last signal drill, the backfield tomorrow will start just as it did at Harvard, with Jemail acting as Pollard's sidepartner, Purdy directing the plays at quarter, and Hillhouse at full back. Devitalis was back at his regular position at tackle, and Ward filled in on the substitute team. It is almost certain that Conroy and Annan will get into the game at some time during the play.

After the practice this afternoon the undergraduates surrounded the tackling dummy, and while watching it burn listened to speeches from Dean Randall, the coaches, and others.

The Colgate squad, which has been quartered in a small town a few miles outside of Providence since Sunday, will arrive here early in the morning, and will go direct to the field. A special train from Hamilton, N. Y., will bring about one hundred Colgate students to the game, arriving at 7 A. M.

The line-up of the elevens will be as follows:

Brown.	Position.	Colgate.
Marshall	L. E.	Castellanos
Devitalis	L. T.	West
Wade	L. G.	Good
Sprague	C.	Carroll
Farnum	R. G.	Hall
Whitmore	R. T.	Horning
Weeks	R. E.	Nellson
Purdy	Q. B.	Anderson
Jemail	L. H. B.	Spencer
Pollard	R. H. B.	Hubbell
Hillhouse	F. B.	Gillo

INDOOR POLO PLAY OPENS

Tigers Defeat Spiders in Cup Match at Durland's.

The regular indoor polo season for 1916-17 opened last night at Durland's Riding Academy, for a special set of cups. From now on games will be played twice a week until the league schedule starts in January. The opening contest was between the Tigers and Spiders, and it was necessary to play an extra five minutes before the 6 all tie could be broken, the former finally taking the match, 7 to 6 goals. The Spiders were E. Gilman, A. Kinney and Dr. E. Biers, while G. Sherman, H. Guggenheim and H. S. Crossman played for the Tigers. For the winners Sherman and Crossman scored the majority of the goals, while Kinney and Dr. Biers did the major part of the tallying for the losers.

The game was preceded by the usual Wednesday evening musical ride.

NEW POLO FIELD IN VIEW.

G. M. Heckscher Will Add to Playing Facilities in Nassau County.

Special to The New York Times.

WESTBURY, L. I., Nov. 29.—G. M. Heckscher, a prominent polo player, intends to begin at once the construction of a polo field, to add to the fourteen fields already laid out in Nassau County.

The new field, comprising fifty-five acres lying northward from the Tyler Morse estate, was purchased from Louis Lanehart. It is expected that the new field will be ready for play late in the Spring. Two other Westbury residents who contemplate polo fields are W. R. Grace and Willard D. Straight.

NOTED RIDERS WILL START.

Track for Six-Day Cycle Race to be Unusually Wide at Turns.

The twenty-fourth annual six-day bicycle race to be held at Madison Square Garden Dec. 17-23 will be under the direction of John M. Chapman, general manager of the Cycle Racing Association. Mr. Chapman has been affiliated with the bicycle racing game for the past fifteen years and has supervised the running of six-day races all over the country since the death of Floyd MacFarland.

In this year's contest at the Garden certain changes will be made in regard to the finish of the race and the nightly special features, according to the plans of the management. Entries are being received from leading American and foreign riders, and a notable field of riders is expected to face the starter one minute after midnight Dec. 17.

Freddie Hill of Boston was the first star to sign a contract this year. Hill will be teamed up with Peter Drobach. Hill and Grenda won last year's event, and Drobach finished second the previous year with Iver Lawson as a partner. Other riders who have sent in their entry blanks include Eddie Root, Clarence Carman, Bobby Walthour, Jimmy Moran, Iver Lawson, Harry Kaiser, George Cameron, George Wiley, Tom Bello, and Hans Ohrt, former amateur champion.

Plans have already been drawn for the building of the track, which will be three feet higher than usual on the turns, to give room for more riders to finish on the home stretch. Manager Chapman is arranging a program of sprint and motor cycle contests for Dec. 16, the night before the big grind starts.

Moynihan New Union Captain.

Frank D. Moynihan, '18, of Fort Edward, N. Y., has been elected Captain of the Union College football team for next year. Moynihan played at halfback during the last season and at end during the two preceding ones. He also played at third base on the Union baseball team last Spring. He is 23 old and weighs 140 pounds.

BACARDI Makes the Perfect COCKTAIL, RICKEY or HIGHBALL. Try It and Be Convinced!

FOOTBALL GAMES TODAY

East and South.

Brown vs. Colgate, at Providence.
University of Pennsylvania vs. Cornell, at Philadelphia.
University of Pittsburgh vs. Penn State, at Pittsburgh.
Rutgers vs. Washington and Jefferson, at Polo Grounds.
Fordham vs. Villanova, at Fordham Field.
Georgetown vs. George Washington, at Washington.
Bucknell vs. Lebanon Valley, at Lewisburg.
Franklin and Marshall vs. Gettysburg, at Lancaster.
Georgia Tech vs. Auburn, at Atlanta.
Vanderbilt vs. Sewanee, at Nashville.
Holy Cross vs. Boston College, at Boston.
Muhlenberg vs. Ursinus, at Allentown.
Delaware vs. Mount St. Mary's, at Newark.
Hobart vs. University of Buffalo, at Buffalo.
University of Rochester vs. University of Vermont, at Rochester.
Johns Hopkins vs. Maryland State, at Baltimore.
North Carolina Aggies vs. Washington and Lee, at West Raleigh.
Pennsylvania Military College vs. Albright, at Chester.
Southern University vs. Birmingham, at Greensboro.
Transylvania vs. Louisville, at Lexington.
Tulane vs. Louisiana State, at New Orleans.
University of Alabama vs. University of Georgia, at Birmingham.
University of Tennessee vs. University of Kentucky, at Knoxville.
University of Texas vs. Texas Aggies, at Austin.
University of Virginia vs. University of North Carolina, at Richmond.
Virginia Military Institute vs. Virginia Polytechnic Institute, at Roanoke.
West Virginia Wesleyan vs. West Virginia University, at Fairmont.

West.

University of Notre Dame vs. University of Nebraska, at Lincoln.
Case vs. Western Reserve, at Cleveland.
Drake vs. Iowa State, at Des Moines.
Ohio Northern vs. Marshall, at Huntington.
St. Louis vs. Washington University, at St. Louis.
Marietta vs. Kenyon, at Marietta.
Marquette vs. Wabash, at Milwaukee.
University of Cincinnati vs. Miami, at Cincinnati.
University of Colorado vs. Colorado Aggies, at Boulder.
University of Denver vs. Colorado Mines, at Denver.
University of Washington vs. University of California, at Seattle.
Utah Aggies vs. University of Idaho, at Logan.
University of Oklahoma vs. Oklahoma Aggies, at Oklahoma City.
University of Utah vs. Colorado College, at Salt Lake City.

School Games.

Erasmus Hall High School vs. Poly Prep, at Washington Park.
Commercial High School vs. New Utrecht High School, at Ebbets Field, 1:45 P. M.
Boys' High School vs. Manual Training High School, at Ebbets Field, 2:15 P. M.
Brooklyn Prep vs. Bushwick High School, at Hawthorne Field, 10:30 A. M.
St. Francis Prep vs. Alumni at Hawthorne Field, 2:30 P. M.
Flushing High School vs. Central High School, at Binghamton, N. Y.

BLINDS FOR DUCK SHOOTING

Attorney General's Ruling Also Permits Floating Devices.

Duck shooters in the State of New York are interested in a ruling made recently by the Attorney General, which permits the shooting of wild ducks from a blind or floating device, but not from boats propelled by oars, machinery or sails. The ruling was the result of an agitation started by the Michigan Avenue Gun Club of Buffalo, the members of which were desirous of finding means whereby they could indulge in duck shooting on the shores of Lake Erie. The modified order reads in part:

"Waterfowl may be taken during the open season from the land without restrictions; they may be taken from a blind or floating device used to conceal the hunter (other than a sail or power boat) without reference to the place where the blind or floating device may be located, the floating device being treated so far as the hunter is concerned, as a point on land."

The game law says ducks may be shot within fifty feet of flag growths and the hunters maintain that a growth of weeds along the shore of the lake constitutes a natural "growth of flags" within the law.

BOY STARS AT THE TRAPS.

Twelve-Year-Old Bruce Steele Breaks 94 Out of 100.

Birmingham, Mich., is proud of the shooting record of Bruce Steele, Jr., who, though only just past his twelfth birthday, is able to show accuracy at the traps that compares favorably with that of the older experts of the town. Young Steele uses a full-sized gun, and has stood up at the firing line to smash 94 out of 100 clay targets. He has broken forty-eight straight, and on nearly every one of his frequent visits to the trap complies scores very near these figures. Young Steele is a pupil of his father, an old trapshooter.

CHANGING SOUTH FIELD.

Workmen Begin to Turn Gridiron Into Baseball Diamond.

Workmen began yesterday the reconstruction of Columbia University's sole athletic grounds, South Field, from a football gridiron to a baseball diamond. Although the stand along the north side of the field will be removed to allow room for the outfield, the new seating accommodations erected this Fall on the east side of the field will be retained, together with the south stand, with the result that seating accommodations will be allowed along the two sides of the infield.

Last year the diamond was not constructed until the Spring. It is expected that under the new scheme the diamond will have hardened through the Winter months so as to allow outdoor practice by March 15.

Bryant Swimmers Forfeit Meet.

The championship P. S. A. L. dual swimming meet between Stuyvesant and Bryant High School, scheduled to take place yesterday in the West Twenty-eight Street Municipal Pool, did not materialize, for the Bryant swimmers did not appear, but telephoned that they had forfeited to Stuyvesant.

Xavier Prep Five Is Victor.

Xavier Prep, winner of last year's Catholic High School basketball and baseball championships, defeated Cathedral Prep basketball team yesterday afternoon in the Ninth Regiment Armory by the score of 40 to 0. Congrove, the Xavier centre, and Donovan, forward, starred.

Murray Gets Harvard Football Post.

Special to The New York Times.

CAMBRIDGE, Mass., Nov. 29.—Cecil D. Murray of New York has been chosen as second assistant manager of the Harvard football team. Murray, who is a brother of Harry Murray, former Harvard crew captain, will automatically succeed to the 'Varsity managership in 1918.

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CORNELL AND PENN READY FOR BATTLE

Both Teams Primed to the Minute and Confident of Victory on Gridiron.

Special to The New York Times.

PHILADELPHIA, Nov. 29.—Twenty-two athletes, trained to the moment, await the call for the beginning of hostilities in the twenty-fourth annual Cornell-Pennsylvania football game on Franklin Field tomorrow. In the long stretch of twenty-three years few games between the two teams have matched the present contest in public interest.

As compared on paper, the two teams appear to be on a par. Their records in the games played this season are not such that either team can rightly be given the choice over the other in forecasts, but Pennsylvania men all over the country, and especially those who have become closely associated with Bob Folwell, are pinning their faith on the spirit which the former Washington and Jefferson tutor imbued in the minds of his sturdy proteges. Captain Neilson Murray Mathews, a veteran of two years' standing, and Coach Folwell both are confident of victory. Cornell, primed by a wizard coach, Al Sharpe, is equally as confident that the laurels will fall on the Cornell side of the field.

The Ithacans were drilled for three hours today at Atlantic City, where they will remain until tomorrow morning. Pennsylvania worked out on the lawn of the Whitemarsh County Club, getting valuable training in handling the wet and soggy ball on the rain-soaked turf. The teams are expected to line up with the same players as opposed Michigan in their respective games with that institution, and as each was victorious against the Wolverines, a close contest is anticipated.

The rain of today will make the field slippery and the stands wet, but adverse atmospheric conditions will keep from the field only those who lack the ardor of the majority. Tickets are at a premium, and the only available method of obtaining seats now is through scalpers.

Considerable betting was done at the university side the hotels today and tonight. Before the Cornell students reached this city the backers of the Ithacan combination were asking for the short end of 10 to 8 odds. With the arrival of the Cornell undergraduates, however, and the confident stories that have come from the Red and White squad at Atlantic City, the odds have been cut down and even money now rules.

The line-up:

Penn.	Position.	Cornell.
Urquhart	L. E.	Ryerson
Mathews	L. T.	Gillies
Henning	L. G.	Miller
Way	C.	Carpenter
Ertresvaag	R. G.	Anderson
Little	R. T.	Jewett
Miller	R. E.	Eckley
Bell	Q. B.	Shiverick
Derr	L. H. B.	Speed
Light	R. H. B.	Hoffman
Berry	F. B.	Mueller

Referee, Mr. McCarty, Germantown. Umpire—Dave Fultz, Brown. Field judge—Mr. Okeson, Lehigh. Linesman—Mr. Crowell, Swarthmore.

CORNELL SQUAD HOPEFUL.

Attack for Penn Today Is Built Around Shiverick and Speed.

Special to The New York Times.

ATLANTIC CITY, N. J., Nov. 29.—The Cornell football eleven will start against the University of Pennsylvania in the best form of the season tomorrow on Franklin Field, according to Dr. Al Sharpe, who confidently predicted victory over Bob Folwell's Red and Blue team here tonight.

Every player is physically fit and unscarred, and the team this afternoon rounded out an entirely new attack which has been studied and perfected behind closed doors during the past three weeks for this all-important battle.

"Cornell expects to beat Pennsylvania by a small margin," Coach Sharpe said tonight at Haddon Hall. "Pennsylvania looks better on paper, but comparisons would be unfair in as much as our team has been handicapped the earlier part of the season by injuries as well as lack of practice. We have been building for this game and have only today reached top form, and there is no danger of going stale. I have been more concerned in past seasons over the prospects of victory."

It has been indicated that Cornell would resort principally to loose open-field work against Pennsylvania. To this end Dr. Sharpe has centred the attack around Shiverick and Speed, but also stand ready to use Benedict, who is expected to go in after the first half.

Cornell also expects to count heavily with its drop kickers and punters. Shiverick is their mainstay, and coaches freely predict that he will outclass Barry in this department. In the three-hour practice today he was successful in six out of seven attempts.

KILMER TO IMPORT RACERS.

Trainer McDaniel to Buy High-Class Thoroughbreds in England.

Willis Sharpe Kilmer, who recently sold a large number of his thoroughbreds at auction, has announced that with a view of further strengthening his holdings of racing material he expects to send Henry McDaniel to England in the near future to make some purchases of high-class animals. A short time ago Mr. Kilmer gave his London agent an order to purchase for him the best yearling colt that he could obtain in England.

The result of these instructions was the purchase of the colt by Magic-Yama, by Isinglass, and this youngster, together with a yearling filly, also by Magic out of Gray's Best, by Gray Leg, have arrived in this country. Mr. Kilmer is particularly pleased with both, as is his trainer McDaniel.

St. Mary's Beats Times Juniors.

THE NEW YORK TIMES Junior basket ball five was defeated last night by the St. Mary's aggregation on the latter team's court by a score of 26 to 12.

VIERTEL BILLIARD LEADER.

Mayo Defeats Johann and Stands Second in Novice Tourney.

Standing of the Players.

Player.	Won.	Lost.	High Run.	High Av.
W. Viertel	5	0	30	6 0-24
Nelson B. Mayo	4	1	24	7 10-39
J. R. Johann, Jr.	4	2	31	4 10-35
I. Schwartz	3	2	38	7 17-19
Dr. F. M. Bauer	2	4	19	2 11-20
E. Solomon	1	5	23	3 10-32
Chas. Ehgon	0	6	19	2 21-36

As a result of the play last night, the national novice straight-rail billiard tournament has simmered down to a contest between William Viertel, the leader in the tournament, and Nelson B. Mayo. These two will meet in the final game of the tournament at the Arion Society next Wednesday night. At present Viertel is the leader in the tournament, not having met with a single defeat in the five games which he has played. On the other hand, Mayo has lost one game, and therefore his only chance of victory is to defeat Viertel in the final game and thereby create a tie for first place.

Only two games were played last night. In the one at the Morningside Academy, Mayo scored a victory over Joseph B. Johann, Jr., by a total of 150 to 136. The averages in each case were low. The best run of the match was made by Johann, who gathered together a count of 31.

At Thum's Academy Irving Schwartz bettered his own high run record when he defeated Ellis Solomon by a score of 150 to 84. The best previous run of 37 was surpassed by 1 point when Schwartz got the balls working to his liking.

Schwartz and Johann are now tied for third place in the tournament. However, should Viertel defeat Mayo, there would be a triple tie for second place, in which Johann, Schwartz, and Mayo would be on a par.

TRAVIS TO TEE UP TODAY.

Annual Fall Golf Tourney at Lakewood Has Record Entry.

The annual Fall tournament of the Lakewood Country Club will start this morning with a record field. One hundred and forty golfers have sent in entries, and it will be the finest assortment of players that Lakewood has drawn in the last three years. Walter J. Travis, former national and international amateur champion, will make it his first and last tournament of the year. The tournament down among the pines has always been a favorite with the veteran golfer, and for years he was as regular as the tournament itself. Max Marston of Baltusrol, former New Jersey State champion, and Gardiner White of Flushing, winner of the Sleepy Hollow and Siwanoy Rock invitations tournaments, will also tee up this morning. Other prominent metropolitan players who have entered are J. B. Coles-Tappan of Nassau, President of the Metropolitan Golf Association; J. C. Parriah, jr., national; F. C. Jennings, Nassau; Andrew A. Frost, Deal; J. G. Batterson, Fox Hills; C. Tiffany Richardson, Garden City; Percy Platt, New York Golf Club, and H. A. Steiner, Inwood. There will be five sixteens and a corresponding number of beaten eights.

A DARK SECRET IN GOLF.

Mountain Ridge Professional Has Private Wood for Clubhead.

Harry Avery, the tall professional who is located at the Mountain Ridge Country Club, has made a discovery. Golf players and golf club manufacturers are eternally on the lookout for some method of giving a longer drive from the tee or a longer iron shot through the green. In his peregrinations through the woods that surround the Mountain Ridge course, Avery has discovered a certain kind of tree whose identity and family history he keeps a profound secret, but from whose heartwood he publicly fashions a clubhead that he thinks is unsurpassable.

Avery has his fellow professionals guessing at the species that he is using, for the wood is so hard that a keen face is needed, and so heavy that lead as a balance may be dispensed with. The wood is as dark as mahogany and the secret is darker still.

TODAY'S BOWIE ENTRIES.

FIRST RACE.—Selling; for two-year-olds; one mile. Napoleon, 114 pounds; All Hudson, (imp.,) 108; Spectre, 96; *Sargon II., (imp.,) 103; Free Duty, 99; N. K. Beal, (imp.) Glory Bell, 106; *Ed Rochs, 111; Glanagainty, (imp.,) 103; Cherry Ripe, 108; Moonlighter, (imp.,) 99; *Meddling Miss, 106; *Grand Jury, 103.

SECOND RACE.—Selling; for two-year-olds and upward; seven furlongs. Song of Valley, 113 pounds; Varlas, 113; Dash, 105; *Pierrot, 110; *Primary, 108; †Progressive, 108; Young Emblem, 113; Broomvale, (imp.,) 108; Felicia, 94; †Johnnarris, 110; †Humiliation, 108; Pontefract, 113; Margaret Ellen, 105; Burbank, 94; *Republican, 108; *Tinkle Bell, 103.

THIRD RACE.—The Baltimore Junior Handicap; for two-year-olds; six and a half furlongs. Dandy Dude, 112 pounds; Lucius, 104; Joanna II., (imp.,) 100; Manokin, 111; Kilts, 103; Friendless, 110; Lord Fitz Herbert, 103.

FOURTH RACE.—The Thanksgiving Handicap; for two-year-olds and upward; one mile and a sixteenth. Leochares, 131 pounds; Thorn Hill, 107; Fenmouse, 108; Kilmer, 102; Bohroma, (imp.,) 99; Hauberk, 123; †King Neptune, 107; Christie, 104; Brooks, 101; Bondage, 94; Holiday, 107; †Celto, 103; Sand Hill, 103; Vermont, 100.

FIFTH RACE.—Selling; for two-year-olds and upward; one mile and twenty yards. Agon, 110 pounds; Beethoven, 110; Handful, 107; *Mr. Mack, 107; *Gibraltar, 99; Southern Gold, 110; Richard Langdon, 110; Billie Bubbs, 110; Ampere II., (imp.,) 105; *Buzz Around, 104; Cannonade, 110; Devil Fish, (imp.,) 110; Nannie McDee, 109; *Al Court, 107; *Repton, 100; Pharaoh, 112.

SIXTH RACE.—Selling; three-year-olds and upward; one mile and a quarter. Billie Baker, 114 pounds; Burglar, 106; Blackford, 102; Fonctionnaire, (imp.,) 97; *Obolus, 97; Menlo Park, 114; Baby Sister, 106; Daingerfield, 102; *Thanksgiving, 104; Dariworth, 108; Aviator, 102; Bob Redfield, 103; *Billy Oliver, 104.

SEVENTH RACE.—The Au Revoir Selling Handicap; two-year-olds and upward; one mile. Baby Lynch, 108 pounds; Fair Helen, 108; Lady Little, 100; Cliff Field, 106; Killkenny, 95; Marchens, 106; Fairy Legend, 103; King Box, 104; Sevillian, 105.

*Apprentice allowance claimed. †Tyree entry.

BONDAGE DEFEATS BAYBERRY CANDLE

Weight Stops Great Mare in the Consolation Handicap at Bowie Track.

BOWIE, Md., Nov. 29.—Bondage, a 2-year-old, from the stable of J. Arthur, defeated Bayberry Candle in a stirring stretch run, in the Consolation Handicap, the feature of the card, at the Southern Maryland track this afternoon. E. T. Zollicoffer's Christie received the short end of the purse. It was a race in which weights were the most important factor. The winner was only carrying 97 pounds, while J. W. May's great race mare was asked to pick up 130, the largest impost she has been required to pack away this season. Bayberry Candle ran a game race, but the weight was too much for her.

Ina Frank, bearing the colors of W. C. Capps, easily accounted for the Cosmopolitan Selling Handicap. This was the filly's third start at this meeting, and her third victory. Vermont, the first choice, carried 112 pounds, and just managed to get in the money. F. E. Brown's Margaret N. obtained the place.

Bob Redfield defeated Counterpart and Finalee in the selling event at a mile and an eighth; the latter two came along in the order named. Bob Redfield came up from behind and caught the other two fifty yards from the finish, to win by a comfortable margin.

The summaries, with straight, place and show odds:

FIRST RACE.—For two-year-old maidens; selling; purse, $600; six furlongs. Time—1:15.

Felucca, H. W. Warner's ch. f., 107 pounds, by Trap Rock-Pixie; $7.10, $3.60, $2.70. (J. Williams).....1

Otsego, J. T. Ready's b. c., 110; $3.30, $2.60, (J. Butwell).....2

Lady Clinton, W. P. Burch's ch. f., 102; $3.20 third, (W. Crump).....3

Jock Carl, Tinsel, Glanaginty, Hopscotch, Moonlighter, Defender also ran. Beaverkill, Onunda, Leading Lady scratched.

SECOND RACE.—For all ages; Cosmopolitan Selling Handicap; purse $600; seven furlongs. Time—1:28 4-5.

Ina Kay, W. C. Capps's ch. f., 4 years old, 108 pounds, by Nasturtium-Subdue, $5.30, $3.10, (W. Crump).....1

Margaret N., F. E. Brown's ch. f., 3 years old, 105, $4.80, $3.10, (J. Brown).....2

Vermont, E. K. Bryson's b. g., 3 years old, 112, $2.60, third, (W. Ward).....3

Between Us, Sevillian, Fair Helen, Presumptive, King Mart, also ran. Sir William Johnson scratched.

THIRD RACE.—For three-year-olds and upward; selling; purse $600; one mile and an eighth. Time—1:54 1-5.

Bob Redfield, J. M. Zimmer's b. g., 3 years, 106 pounds, by Mohawk II.-Toplash, $4.70, $2.60, $2.30, (W. Crump).....1

Counterpart, C. K. Moore's b. g., 6, 114, $2.80, $2.50, (E. Haynes).....2

Finalee, E. G. Vivell's b. f., 4, 106, $2.50 third, (W. Gourley).....3

Colonel Holloway, Edith Olga, Porin, Senator Casey also ran.

FOURTH RACE.—For all ages; Consolation Handicap; purse $600; one mile. Time—1:45 4-5.

TAFT SEES NEED OF CURBING UNIONS

Labor Men Want Their Organizations to be Exempt from the Law, He Says.

SLUMP LIKELY AFTER WAR

Temporary Prosperity Is Making False Standards for Workingmen, St. Andrews Society Hears.

The St. Andrew's Society of New York celebrated its one hundred and sixtieth anniversary with a dinner at the Waldorf-Astoria last night—the first dinner the society has given since the beginning of the war. Ex-President William H. Taft was one of the speakers, and discussed the eight-hour law and the proposal to elect Presidents by direct vote. Other speakers were Captain Ian Hay Beith, Marcel Knecht, who represented the Franco-Scottish Society of Paris, and George T. Wilson of the Society of Pilgrims of New York.

In his address Mr. Taft, after paying a tribute to the part Scotchmen had played in the development of this country, said:

"An amendment to the Constitution has been urged by which Presidents shall be elected by a direct vote of the people rather than through an Electoral College. There are many objections to this, which would appear were the matter seriously proposed. By the present arrangement, in which every State is given an Elector for each one of its two Senators, in addition to the Congressmen which its population gives it, the smaller States have somewhat greater influence in the selection of a President than they would have in a direct vote.

"Secondly, in the South, where a very large part of the population do not vote, and are not expected to vote, although the Constitution gives them the right to vote, popular majorities reported from those States would not be accepted with confidence in their justice, and the whole question of Southern representation would be again precipitated into national controversy. There is nothing clumsy or awkward in the present system. It is well understood, and it is not unfair. Results are known quite as quickly as results could be known from a direct vote. It is only rarely that a President is elected by a minority vote of the people. This happened in the election of 1912, because three candidates were running, and it happened for the same reason in the election of 1860. It may have happened in other elections when only two candidates were running, but it is the exception. Why change a system that has proved itself by experience, and to which the people have grown accustomed?"

Then, turning to the war and taking up what he called the temporary prosperity which has followed the demand in Europe for some of our products, Mr. Taft said:

"Wages have increased in leaps and bounds, so that in some branches of business that increase is represented by 200 and 300 per cent. The profits of capital in many branches have shown an equal advance. Habits of extravagance have been encouraged, not only among those who live on capital, but upon those who live by manual labor. As high wages come into the wage-earner of the growing power he has in combination with his fellows. It makes the organization of labor popular because in such times strikes are usually successful.

"The enactment of the Adamson law under the conditions of its passage has added to this feeling, and there are evidences of a factionalism that may well give concern to all of us. Such a feeling, conducive to unpatriotism, is based on the conception that men who have property and men who have capital have an advantage so unjust that without respect to existing law wage earners are entitled by the force of their combination to wrest away that property and capital or compel a division of it. The purpose of such leaders is to use their political influence by statute to weaken the law which shall protect property rights in industrial disputes. Their effort is to give to organized labor immunity from the restraints that apply to all other classes of persons. Organized labor is thus to be made a privileged class.

"And now we are told that if the Adamson law is declared unconstitutional, then we shall have a strike on our hands. What does that strike mean? If it is successful, it means that the interstate commerce of this country is to be paralyzed. With the great congestion of population in the large cities, the absolute stoppage of interstate commerce for a month would not only cause great inconvenience, it would stop business. The ten million wageearners in industries would many of them be thrown out of work. It would be a physical impossibility to furnish the food necessary to the life of the people, and great suffering would and must ensue. This is what the railway orders propose if the Supreme Court of the United States shall hold that Congress, in raising the wages of the railways orders, exceeded its power.

"The President now proposes a law that shall forbid the combination for such a strike until the issues have been arbitrated. The leaders of the American Federation of Labor and of the railway orders joining together protest against such a law. They don't intend to give up the means of starving the public into submission. They thus seek as one group or class of the country to make laws of their own. This, gentlemen, calls for our anxious consideration, none the less because we are now in great prosperity. We cannot afford to allow the desire to have present profits continue to blind us to the dangers to which this is leading us. Such resolutions as the one I quoted above will not frighten the courts—they will proceed equitably and impartially and administer justice and wield the power that the law gives them without fear or favor. The enforcement of their orders will depend on the courage of the executive."

Among the 1,000 guests who attended the dinner were Dr. Barton Hepburn, the Rev. Dr. Robert Watson, C. Clive Bayley, the British Consul General; Supreme Court Justice Victor J. Dowling, S. Reading Bortron, William A. Brewer, Major H. G. Sanford, J. S. Auchincloss, Henry D. Estabrook, James M. Montgomery, William A. Hamilton, William D. Wood, Cecil F. Shallcross, Stephane Lauzanne, editor of Le Matin, Paris; Caleb J. Milne, Edwarde F. Darrell, Robert E. May, the Rev. Dr. George Alexander, and the Rev. Dr. David G. Wylie.

TEIPER WAS CALM AT BURIAL

Showed No Emotion, Says Sheriff Who Accompanied Him There.

BUFFALO, N. Y., Nov. 29.—Through the testimony of Edward Stengel, Sheriff of Erie County, the prosecution today established three important points in its case against John Edward Teiper, on trial here charged with the murder of his mother, Mrs. Agnes Teiper. These points were:

That Teiper's car, which he said he had left broken down in the Orchard Park Road on the afternoon preceding the tragedy last January, was started without any trouble the next morning by a mechanic who merely inserted a magneto brush. That Teiper, when questioned by the then District Attorney Dudley, at first denied ownership of the revolver found near the scene of the murder, but later admitted that the pistol was his; that Teiper, guarded by the Sheriff at the funeral of his mother and brother Frederick, had manifested not the slightest grief or emotion throughout the service or burial.

Sheriff Stengel also testified that the tool box on Teiper's gray roadster, in which Teiper told him he kept the revolver, was tightly closed when the Sheriff examined the car after his arrival at the murder scene. The box was between the two seats of the roadster and had a cushion covering it. This cover was jammed tightly into place, the Sheriff said.

OUR DUTY TO AID EUROPE.

Dr. Butler Urges Columbia Men to Follow President Wilson's Advice.

The people of this country are failing to do the duty they owe to war stricken Europeans in the matter of aid, according to Dr. Nicholas Murray Butler, of Columbia, in an address yesterday at the annual Thanksgiving service in St. Paul's Chapel on the campus. More than 2,400 students were in attendance.

Dr. Butler declared that Americans owed much of the present prosperity to the misfortunes of the peoples at war in Europe and they should do their utmost, in the circumstances, to alleviate suffering abroad.

"Great drama, great human tragedy, slowly and steadily unrolling before our eyes," said Dr. Butler, "has aroused those feelings among us that are most generous, most noble and most uplifting. Shall we let them pass as feelings, or shall we accept the advice of the Chief Executive of the nation, in full accord with the teachings of history and of human nature and of human experience, and carry those fine, noble, uplifting feelings into action?

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FINGER PRINTS NOT CONVICTION PROOF

Judge Delehanty Frees Woman Who Had Been Sentenced to a Maximum of Two Years.

HAD SERVED THREE TERMS

Attorney Pleaded That Her Previous Conviction Had Not Been Established.

When Kate Kelly, arrested on Oct. 6, was arraigned before Magistrate Cobb charged with disorderly conduct, her finger print records were produced and accepted by the Magistrate as presumptive evidence of prior convictions. She was sentenced to a maximum term of two years in the workhouse.

The prisoner had already served three terms there on similar charges. John J. Halligan of 302 Broadway as her counsel appealed to the Court of General Sessions, contending that no legal proof had been offered that his client had been convicted before, and that the Magistrate had no power to sentence her for any term exceeding six months.

Judge Delehanty in his decision just rendered said:

"It will be noted in this case that the Magistrate has interpreted the language of the law to mean that he was authorized to receive in evidence the finger-print record alleged to be that of the defendant, and, on the basis of what the Magistrate calls 'presumptive' evidence of her prior conviction, he sentenced her to an indeterminate term in the workhouse.

"In that ruling the Magistrate erred. The finger-print record is not available for any such purpose. In itself it does not constitute any evidence of prior conviction. This defendant was not shown by any legal evidence to have been heretofore convicted of any offense. Finger-print records have been constantly used by Magistrates for the same purpose as is shown in this record, but such use is wholly unwarranted.

"The information obtained from the finger-print records, according to the statute, is only to enable the Magistrate to determine whether the definite sentence to the workhouse shall be one day or six months or something in between these extremes."

Judge Delehanty decided that the defendant was subject only to a maximum sentence of six months, and as she had already served forty-five days, he set her free.

SAYS DODGES HELPED FORD.

Lawyer Asserts They Are Responsible for Company's Success.

DEROIT, Mich., Nov. 29.—Elliott G. Stevenson, counsel for the Dodge Brothers, in his closing argument in circuit court today for an injunction to prevent Henry Ford from developing the Ford Motor Company's business with the profits of the concern, declared that the Dodges, and not Ford, were responsible for the company's success.

Stevenson traced the history of the Ford Motor Company from its organization. Speaking of Ford's efforts to raise money to organize the company in 1903, he referred to the manufacturer as "an inventive genius or an inventive crank". Stevenson declared that it was the mechanical and engineering ability of the Dodge Brothers that gave the company the business impetus which brought success.

Stevenson answered arguments which were made earlier in the day by Alfred Lucking, attorney for Ford. The question of whether capital stock can also be legally considered capital assets, or vice versa, was the point at issue. Lucking maintained that the Ford company had not violated the state law which provides that no company may incorporate for more than $25,000,000 in Michigan. He asserted that the law affects only the capital stock of a company. The Ford Motor Company is capitalized at $2,000,000.

"When the Legislature said capital stock they meant capital," said Stevenson. "They recognized the danger that the concentration of capital in the hands of one corporation or individual means to the community". Stevenson declared that the Ford Motor Company has assets worth at least $400,000,000.

Arguments were completed this afternoon. The case was heard by three circuit judges from outside Detroit. It is said they will announce their decision within a few days.

URGES ALL TO SAVE PAPER.

Redfield Says Over 6,000 Tons Are Wasted Daily in the Country.

WASHINGTON, Nov. 29.—Secretary Redfield of the Department of Commerce watched a paper-saving wrapping contest between department store girls at a theatre here tonight, and made a speech, counseling nationwide thrift that would make the country independent of foreign paper manufacturers. He said more than a third of the 20,000 tons of paper produced daily in the United States was wasted.

"If this waste were eliminated by campaigns of thrift education in each city," the Secretary added, "the country would not be facing so serious a shortage of white paper and such high prices.

"Housewives should be taught to save their newspapers and these should be collected diligently. Customers should not insist on such thorough wrapping of packages, and the wrappings should not be burned, but saved for paper collectors."

REVISES POTATO RATIONS.

Germany Cuts City Supplies—More for Hard Workers.

BERLIN, Nov. 29.—Owing to the irregular harvest this year, which, with a large increase in grain over last year, showed a decided falling off in the potato crop, it has been decided to introduce a new plan of potato rationing. On Jan. 1 the urban population will be placed on a daily allowance of three-quarters of a pound instead of one pound.

The agricultural poulation will) an allowance of one pound daily during January and February, and thereafter a pound and a half. The potatoes thus saved will be devoted to placing those performing hard labor on a ration of two pounds daily.

The price of sugar, it was announced, probably will be raised as an incentive to greater production next year. Measures will be adopted to give farmers who plant sugar beets increased supplies of the necessary nitrogenous fertilizer.

ITALIAN CITIES NEED COAL.

Gas Companies Must Shut Down Unless They Get Supply.

ROME, Nov. 29, (via Paris.)—The high price and scarcity of coal threatens to close up the gas companies in Italian cities. This is especially true in Turin, where two companies have declared that they will be unable to furnish gas after a few weeks unless England sends coal according to an agreement which, they say, was made before the renewal of the German submarine campaign.

The gas companies throughout the country also declare that they are being forced into bankruptcy by being compelled to fill contracts made with municipalities before the war. One solution offered is the use of electricity, which is relatively cheap, for cooking and heating. As a move in this direction William Marconi, the inventor, has just accepted the task of reorganizing the Roman municipal electric plant.

MORE PAY FOR THOUSANDS.

Employes of Fore River Corporation Get Increase—Other Advances.

QUINCY, Mass., Nov. 29.—Employes of the Fore River Shipbuilding Corporation below the grades of foreman and assistant foreman will receive a 10 per cent. increase in wages beginning Dec. 4, according to an announcement made tonight by President Powell. Officials say 2,400 employes are affected.

SPRINGFIELD, Mass., Nov. 29.—Notices were posted in factories of the United States Envelope Company today announcing an "emergency bonus" to employes of 10 per cent. The order affects six factories in Massachusetts, two in Connecticut and one each in Waukegan, Indianapolis, Cincinnati and San Francisco, and 2,500 employes will benefit by it.

Special to The New York Times.

MARINETTE, Wis., Nov. 29.—General Manager Ryan of the Kimberly Clark Paper Company announced today that persons in the employ of the company for two months would receive a bonus check for $12.

WESTBROOK, Me., Nov. 29.—An increase of 7 to 8 per cent. in the wages of 1,400 employes of the Warren Paper Mills was announced today.

CHICAGO, Nov. 29.—The International Harvester Company announced today that on Dec. 1 the wage rate for minimum labor in its Chicago plants would be increased 10 per cent., and that it is making increases in piece work and other lines throughout the works, although not on a fixed percentage basis.

WORCESTER, Mass., Nov. 29.—The Grafton & Knight Manufacturing Company of Worcester today announced an increase of 10 per cent. in pay for its 1,800 employes.

BOSTON, Nov. 29.—The W. H. McElwain Company, shoe manufacturers, with plants in this city and New Hampshire, today announced an increase of 10 per cent. in wages and a reduction in the working hours of its 6,000 employes.

PITTSBURG, Nov. 29.—The American Window Glass Company announced today that, effective Dec. 16, the wages of all its employes would be increased 10 per cent. The advance will affect about 8,000 workmen.

Special to The New York Times.

NEWBURG, N. Y., Nov. 29.—The Cleveland-Whitehill Company, manufacturers of trousers and overalls, today announced a 10 per cent. increase in wages for its 300 employes, beginning Dec. 4. The firm also announced that owing to the high cost of living it would endeavor to make the wages of employes go as far as possible for furnishing capital for collective buying. The employes will appoint a committee to take the orders, and the help, supplied by the firm, will make the purchases in large quantities.

The Miesch Manufacturing Company of Paterson, ribbon manufacturers, posted a notice yesterday in its mills that it had decided to raise the wages of employes about 10 per cent.

SUIT DIDN'T STOP WEDDING

Appelgate a Bridegroom in Spite of Breach of Promise Action.

Special to The New York Times.

PASSAIC, N. J., Nov. 29.—Despite the breach of promise suit for $100,000 filed yesterday against the bridegroom by Miss Bessie M. Coulthard, a school teacher of 51 Bloomfield Avenue, the wedding of Miss ClementineH. Rust and Edward Maskell Appelgate took place tonight as had been arranged, with the Rev. Dr. James D. Steele of the First Presbyterian Church officiating. The marriage was at the home of the bride's brother, Charles Rust, lawyer and owner of the Passaic Daily News, to whose office Mr. Appelgate is attached, and was attended by about 100 guests.

Miss Rust was attended by her sister, Mrs. Erastus Blauvelt, and the best man was Robert Coryell of Newark. After a honeymoon trip in the South the couple will reside in Passaic. Mr. Appelgate is the son of E. M. Appelgate of Bridgeton, Clerk of the New Jersey Court of Chancery. Both he and his bride are prominent in Passaic.

Miss Coulthard's attorneys, Ward & McGinnis of Paterson, say that they hold a number of letters in which Mr. Applegate speaks of his promise to marry the plaintiff. It is alleged that he first promised to do so on Aug. 1, 1912, but put the marriage off from time to time on account of financial difficulties.

ART FIGHT ON SKY SIGNS.

Municipal Society Sends Protests to City Officials.

The Municipal Art Society has sent to the Corporation Counsel a protest against the construction which he is said to have put upon the laws governing the height of sky-signs. The protest quotes Superintendent of Buildings Ludwig as saying that the Corporation Counsel gave an opinion that the ordinance of May 29, 1914, limiting the height of signs, had been superseded by the new zoning ordinance which limits the height of structures generally.

The society takes the viewpoint that the sky-signs must comply with both ordinances, but Superintendent Ludwig is quoted as saying that "any applications will be approved regardless of the height, provided they do not conflict in any way with the provisions of the building zone resolutions."

The art society asserts that the old ordinary made restrictions upon sky-signs as such, with a view toward protecting the public from danger of large signs. The new zoning ordinance, on the other hand, it is said, seeks to conserve light and air.

The society has also sent a letter to Mayor Mitchel, in which the city officials are accused of a lack of team work in mitigating the sign evils.

PRIZE FOR FUEL RESEARCH.

Valentine Will Gives $10,000 for Non-Gasoline Aircraft Inventors.

By the will of the late Samuel H. Valentine, formerly Governor of the Aero Club of America, which was filed in New York on Tuesday, the sum of $10,000 has been given to the Aero Club to establish a prize, or prizes, at the discretion of the Aero Club, for the encouragement of "aircraft, which shall not use gasoline as a fuel." Conditions for the awarding of the prizes under the terms of the will are left wholly to the Aero Club.

Mr. Valentine's bequest is expected to stimulate interest in the discovery of a new fuel, lighter than gasoline, which will make longer flights possible.

TAILORS ASK 8-HOUR DAY.

Head of Organization Is Not Satisfied with Wage Rise Alone.

Sidney Hillman, President of the Amalgamated Clothing Workers of America, said yesterday that the action of the American Clothing Manufacturers' Association in offering to the workers an increase in pay estimated at from $2,500,000 to $3,000,000 a year would not prevent a strike of the 60,000 tailors of the organization in December if the manufacturers did not also grant the eight-hour day.

"The action of the manufacturers," he said, "is merely an attempt to buy off the workers and to get them to prove false to the union. They have not said specifically what the increase will be. But even if they give the workers as much of an increase as was asked—$2 a week—the forty-eight-hour week demand must still be met."

The output of the men's clothing industry in New York City is valued at $212,000,000 a year. The industry is now in the midst of its Winter busy season.

CITY BREVITY.

William Jennings Bryan will lecture on "Woman Suffrage, Prohibition, and Peace" at the Twenty-third Street Y. M. C. A. this evening at 8:30 o'clock.

BUSINESS WORLD

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COATS AND SUITS.—Big jobbers will look at samples of Spring coats and suits; stock orders will be placed if styles are right. Rothstein & Nelson, 129 W. 29th.

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COATS.—We are offering for early sales 3,000 coats, including the wonderful $10 silk plush coats, nutria finishing on collar, cuffs, and bottom; 45 inches long, with guaranteed lining; call and be convinced. Rothstein & Nelson, 129 West 29th.

COATS.—A bargain, silk plush coats, with large sailor collars trimmed with Neutria bottom, collar and cuffs; 45 inches long, with guaranteed lining; $9.50 net. F. J. Gelfond & Co., 141 West 28th St.

COATS.—Three thousand coats at cut prices, in plushes, velours, mixtures, and plaids; don't buy Fall coats before seeing our stock. F. J. Gelfond & Co., 141 West 28th St.

COATS, big values, plush and broadcloth, at surprisingly low prices; wonderful styles. Novick, 40 West 28th. Madison Square 5143.

COATS.—Infants', children's, ladies' coats; caracul, urulamb, metalam, sport; cheap. Hutner, 60 East 11th.

COATS.—When buying plush coats, esquimette proves the best bargains. Hutner, 60 East 11th.

COATS.—Open all day; every esquimette, plush coat at a sacrifice. Hutner, 60 East 11th St.

COATS.—48-inch long plush coats, $10; beaver bottom and collar. Hutner, 60 East 11th.

COATS—Plushes, velours, broadcloth, to close cheap. Jacobus Bros., 1,261 Broadway.

COATS.—When you buy plush coats, why not esquimette? Sacrificed. Hutner, 60 E. 11th.

COATS.—Feb. 1 we will greet you at 25-30 West 25th St. Hutner, 60 East 11th.

COATS, jobs, better grade, to close out cheap. Kaplan & Alper, 51 West 24th.

COLLARS.—2,500 dozen men's soft collars, in both silk and cotton; all sizes, good styles; will sell all or part at low figures. A. L. West, 334 4th Av.

DRESSES.—Silk serge, to close out; special prices. Princess, 19-21 West 24th.

FASTENERS.—Snap spring, 3-0, white; price, $6.50 net. A. Abramson, 138 West 22d St.

FUR SET, children's; exceptional values for immediate delivery; 80c. a set and up. Oldman Bros., 48 East 10th St.

FURS.—Red fox sets and misses' sets. 19 East 8th. D. Berger.

SERGES.—A. D. Juilliard & Co., 54,268, 84,274, and 54,249, black only; also wool crepes, Style 3,904; immediate delivery. Joseph Berg & Co., 36 Union Square. 1247 Stuyvesant.

SNAP FASTENERS, carded or bulk, white and black; all sizes; any quantity. L. Grossmann, Inc., 320 5th Av.

VELVETEENS AND CORDUROYS. A. D. Juilliard & Co., all colors; immediate delivery. Joseph Berg, 36 Union Square. 1247 Stuyvesant.

COMMERCIAL PAPER.

Yesterday...3½@3¾ per cent. for the best names
Tuesday...3½@3¾ " " " " "

The quotations are for six months' paper.

Clothiers' Associations Merger.

In the near future a meeting of the committees who have charge of the plans for the amalgamation of the associations in the clothing trade will take place. It is understood that a constitution has already been drawn up. The association being formed, it is said, will take charge of matters affecting the industry in general and leave other questions for the various groups within the organization to decide upon.

No Countervailing Duties.

Collectors of Customs throughout the country have received notices from the Treasury Department rescinding earlier orders directing the levying of countervailing duties on sugar from the Dutch West Indies and from Argentina. Assistant Secretary Newton stated in his letter that the Treasury Department had been notified by the Department of State that no export bounties were paid on sugar exported from the countries mentioned above. It now is directed that no further countervailing duties be collected on such sugar.

Gray Goods Were Quiet.

The near approach of the holiday was apparent in gray goods market yesterday. The result was that little was done in the way of selling goods, though a number of inquiries were made for cloths that could not be had. A small volume of goods actually changed hands, but sales were without feature and not deserving of special comment. Closing prices for print cloths were:

39-inch, 80-80s...10½c|38½-inch, 64-60s...8¼c
39-inch, 72-76s...9¾c|38½-inch, 64-56s...7¾c
39-inch, 68-72s....9c|38½-inch, 60-52s...7¼c
39-inch, 64-64s....7¾c|38½-inch, 60-48s...7¼c
38½-inch, 64-64s...8¾c|27-inch, 64-60s....5½c

Labor Prices and Clothing.

The increase in wages which members of the American Clothing Manufacturers' Association have decided to grant their employes will have no effect on the prices of the great bulk of the Spring production. Orders have already been taken, and the manufacturers are therefore in no position to ask more for their product to meet the additional cost of labor. So far this year the pay of the clothing workers has been raised on an average of from $2 to $3, not taking into account the latest advance. No provision, it seems, has been made by the manufacturers in general for the increase that will go into effect next month, so that the advance will have to be paid out of the profits.

Some Drugs Went Down.

Drug and Chemical Markets will say today that the market is quieter, with fewer price fluctuations. While possibly not so numerous, the week's declines, in part at least, appeared to be more important than the advances. For instance, Norwegian codliver oil eased off $10 a barrel, while Newfoundland stock dropped $2. Quicksilver declined $2 per flask of seventy-five pounds. Several other reductions of more or less importance were also recorded. One of the sharpest advances was on salicin, which went up $2 a pound. Among several other things, wood alcohol was increased 10 cents a gallon, a total advance of 20 cents in the last few weeks.

Bleached Goods Scarcity Serious.

Little improvement in the handling of cotton cloths by the bleacheries is seen by converters who either have goods in process or awaiting their turn to go in. Several of the smaller cutters who use these goods are said to be on the verge of losing their businesses because they cannot get enough cloths from the selling houses to keep their machines going, even when they can pay cash and are willing to offer premiums to get them. In the selling houses, it is said, there is a riot when the bleachery invoices are received telling of the goods that are coming in that week, salesmen almost going into physical conflict with each other in their efforts to get their customers supplied. Where thousands of pieces are being sent to the bleacheries for finishing, hundreds are coming back, and then only after long delays. The rest are on the "waiting list."

Machinery Company Sold.

CLEVELAND, Nov. 29.—A deposit of $7,500,000 was made today with the Cleveland Trust Company, depository for the stock, to bind the sale of the National Acme Manufacturing Company to New York banking interests, who will recapitalize into a $25,000,000 corporation. Eastman, Dillon & Co. are the purchasers in association with the Chase National Bank of New York. Holders of the $5,000,000 National-Acme common stock are receiving $150 a share in cash for their holdings and five shares of the stock of the new corporation, with a par value of $50 for each share of stock owned. The National-Acme produces screw and nut-making machinery and automobile parts.

WOOL PRICES GOING UP.

Situation in the Boston Market Is Said to be Unprecedented.

Special to The New York Times.

BOSTON, Nov. 29.—The American Wool and Cotton Reporter will say tomorrow:

"The situation in the Boston wool market is unprecedented. Business is limited only by stocks on hand. It is estimated that during the week under review 6,500,000 pounds of wool were sold. Prices have advanced rapidly. Some wool, selling the week before at 64 cents, is now up to 74 cents, with a tendency to advance to 80 cents.

"Strenuous efforts to contract for next year's clip, interritories, continues in the West with a little more success than when first started, though no large owners are willing to commit themselves so far in advance, it is understood, believing that they will be able to get higher prices next year.

"The woolen goods market has improved somewhat during the week, partly because of the offering of new fabrics and partly because of near approach of the heavy-weight season. Manufacturers have taken a definite stand to prevent the same of merchandise not fully protected by raw material at the plants.

"The cotton goods market has not been as active during the week as in many previous weeks, but this development does not indicate any falling off in market strength. The prospects are that the cotton goods market has not reached its highest point yet. Prices for fancy goods have never been so high as they are today. The market is conservative; no more goods are being purchased than is actually needed.

LATEST CUSTOMS RULINGS.

Two Decisions Regarding Depreciated Foreign Currency.

The procedure to be followed in certain cases when merchandise is entered into the United States from a country having a depreciated currency was set forth yesterday in two decisions by the Board of General Appraisers.

Brown & Roese made an importation of Mexican hats. Attached to the invoice was a consular certificate stating that the currency in which the invoice was made out was 20 per cent. of the standard money of Mexico. Several months later, but before liquidation, a second certificate, stated to be in correction of the certificate attached to the invoice, was presented to the Collector, which gave as the correct value of the currency 16 per cent. of the standard money instead of 20 per cent. The Collector declined to accept the second certificate, and the importers appealed to the board for relief. Judge Waite, in his decision for the board, said that the certificate first filed imported a verity, and, in the absence of fraud, could not be traversed or corrected. The Collector was accordingly affirmed.

The other decision related to an invoice consulated at Funchal, Portugal, although the merchandise was shipped from Madeira. The invoice was made out in escudos, Portuguese currency. Judge Waite said there was nothing on the face of the invoice to show whether this was the standard coin currency of Portugal or a depreciated currency. Liquidation was on the basis of the standard coin currency as proclaimed by the Secretary of the Treasury for the quarter in which the invoice was consulated. Salamy & Tweel, the importers of the merchandise, claimed that the money of the invoice was in a depreciated currency, and for proof of that fact relied on the certificate on the back of the invoice entitled "consular certificate." It was asserted by the importers that this consular certificate took the place of and was equal to the certificate on form No. 144, provided for by consular regulations. The board, in overruling the protest, held that substitution of another certificate in place of the one provided for on form No. 144 cannot be made.

B. Altman & Co. lost in a controversy for lower duty on chess boards and chessmen, packed together, and treated by the Collector as entireties. The board upheld the Collector in taking 50 per cent. duty under the specific provision for "chessmen." The same firm, however, was sustained in a protest claiming woven figured cotton cloth to be dutiable at the appropriate rate according to the average yarn number. The Collector was reversed in returning the cloth at 30 per cent. as Jacquard-figured manufactures of cotton.

The board refused, in the protest case of Dieckerhoff, Raffloer & Co., to reverse its position regarding the classification of hair pins and safety pins composed of round steel wire and plated with gold or silver. It was held that since the articles were plated they were properly assessed by the Collector at 50 per cent. under Paragraph 167.

British Release American Goods.

LONDON, Nov. 29.—A Reuter dispatch from The Hague says that goods from America destined for the Dutch artillery works, which were held up in England, have been released. It is understood, the despatch adds, that the British government will place no more obstacles in the way of the import of such goods.

BUSINESS RECORDS

BUSINESS TROUBLES.

THE SNYDER SNAP BUTTON AND FASTENER COMPANY, INC., with offices at 230 Fifth Avenue, machine shop at 22 Grand Street, and branch in Toronto, has filed a petition in bankruptcy. Liabilities are $120,008 and assets $65,982. Judge Hand appointed Arthur H. Phillips receiver, bond $20,000, on request of many of the large creditors. Among the creditors are Arthur H. Phillips, $24,209; Irving National Bank, $20,000; Merchants' National Bank, $10,000; Seymour Trust Company of Seymour, Conn., $10,178; Seymour Manufacturing Company, $8,388, secured; American Lithographic Company, $5,093; W. D. Van Horn, Buffalo, $8,000, and Canadian Hanson & Van Winkle Company of Toronto, $6,446. George C. Snyder, Vice President of the company, is indorser, with others, on notes aggregating $62,620. J. L. Snyder and G. B. Harmon are also indorsers for $62,626. The company was incorporated on Feb. 25, 1916, with capital stock of $250,000, which was later increased to $500,000, but did not commence business until April, 1916. Pennsylvania capitalists were largely interested in it. William D. Horn was President and J. L. Snyder Treasurer.

LARRY BESTHOFF.—A petition in bankruptcy has been filed against Larry Besthoff, dealer in dry and furnishing goods, 1,362 Prospect Avenue, Brooklyn. William H. Schwenk, $2,500, and Louis Rosen, $52, Judge Hand appointed George H. Olney receiver; bond $3,000. Liabilities are stated to be $6,000 and assets $3,000.

ANTON LEFKOWITZ.—A petition in bankruptcy has been filed against Anton Lefkowitz, dealer in tobacco, cigar-maker tools, and boxes, 1,772 Madison Avenue, by Benjamin A. Harsten, $104; Nathan Weiss, $245, and Joseph Meyer, $169. It was alleged that he recently offered to compromise at twenty cents on the dollar.

CHARLES SENDER.—A petition in bankruptcy has been filed against Charles Sender, livery and boarding stable, 441 Cherry Street, by Northern Grain Company, $160; Marion L. Post, $174, and P. Lenane & Brother, $404. It was alleged that he had disposed of horses and that he had entered into an agreement for the sale of his property under a mortgage on Nov. 29 at auction. Notices of sale sent out on Tuesday stated that nineteen horses, trucks, and other property would be sold. Judge Hand dismissed the sale and appointed John L. Lyttle receiver; bond $2,000.

JULIUS LEVY, salesman, 1,672 Broadway, has filed a petition in bankruptcy with liabilities $12,573 and no assets. Among the creditors are the Estate of Bradish Johnson, $1,637; Broadway and Thirty-ninth Street Company, $1,030, and Norman F. Kerr, $600; all for rent.

ALBERT L. JOHNSTON, salesman, 87 St. Nicholas Avenue, has filed a petition in bankruptcy with liabilities $386 and no assets.

WILLIAM LEEMING, manager and agent, 254 West Ninety-eighth Street, has filed a petition in bankruptcy with liabilities $22,173 and no assets. Among the creditors are Fred Watson of Bradford, England, $10,000; Robert Walmsley, Manchester, England, $2,000; Doull Miller & Co., $3,000, and Gross, Wise & Co., $3,004.

F. & D. Co.—A meeting of creditors of the F. & D. Co., owners of the Madison Square Garden property, was held yesterday before Seaman Miller, referee in bankruptcy, at 2 Rector Street. Twelve claims were filed, aggregating $32,690. Marshall S. Hagar and Jacob J. Lesser were nominated for trustee, but as neither had a majority in number and amount of claims there was no election, and the Referee appointed Marshall S. Hagar as trustee, and his bond was fixed at $5,000. The schedules filed showed liabilities $3,035,879 and nominal assets $2,753,-148, but of this amount only $3,148 cash was likely to come into the hands of the Trustee, as the balance of the assets was in the real estate, $2,750,000 of which is under foreclosure.

DAVID GREENSPAN.—At a meeting of creditors of David Greenspan, wholesale dealer in woolens and silks, 63 Hester Street, held yesterday at the office of John J. Townsend, referee in bankruptcy, at 45 Cedar Street, Daniel Greenwald was elected Trustee under a bond of $10,000. Liabilities are $69,081 and assets $45,721.

ROSELIMCKY & CO., INC., baker, 412 East Sixth Street, has made an assignment to Morris Greenblatt. It was incorporated in 1913 with capital stock $2,000 and Joe Roselimsky is President.

Out of Town.

Special to The New York Times.

BOSTON, Mass., Nov. 29.—Chester R. Lawson, accountant, 344 Vinton Street, Melrose, has filed a petition in bankruptcy in the United States District Court. His liabilities amount to $30,446, which is due to about fourteen unsecured creditors, the principal of whom is Larrie E. Cutler, Sacramento, Cal., $30,000, for liability, if any, under California laws for indebtedness of wife; he has no assets.

JUDGMENTS.

The following judgments were filed yesterday; the first name being that of the debtor:

In New York County.

Amounts $100 and over.

Ackerman, Leon—P. Wright.....$5,802.65
Alexander, David A.—Plumbers Trade Journal Pub. Co.....129.96
Abel, Nicholas—A. M. Levy.....174.81
Audi, Elias J.—J. Jabour.....281.30
Boston National Grand Opera Co., Inc.—F. Bianco.....84.91
Berozs, Herman—H. Schulman.....168.33
Bosworth, Birney B., guardian—Coe & Brandt Careful Carpet Cleaning Co. costs.....107.94
Berman, Hyman, administrator—L. H. Michnoff.....107.88
Buck, Karl W.—F. Kiernan.....321.57
Belvin, Edward—C. Arens.....128.93
Beaver, John, receiver—P. Stanton.....1,116.63
Bozek, John—R. Thumler.....304.49
Benson, William J.—O'Neill Adams Co.100.78
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14 Wall St., New York
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Tilney, Ladd & Co.
Mortgage map describing Oregon-Washington R. R. & Nav. Co. 4's of 1961 Sent on request.
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MUNICIPAL, RAILROAD and FOREIGN GOVERNMENT SECURITIES
Colgate, Parker & Co
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Curtis & Sanger
Members New York, Boston, and Chicago Stock Exchanges.
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Boston New York Chicago

Wm. A. Read & Co.
Investment Bonds
Nassau & Cedar Sts., New York.
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FINANCIAL MARKETS

Stocks in Better Demand—Relation of Foreign Orders to Domestic Trade.

The stock market was the better off yesterday for the calmer view which prevailed concerning the probable effects of the statement of the Federal Reserve Board published on Tuesday. The matter is still involved in some uncertainty, but it has come to be recognized that any restrictions which have been put upon the use of short-term Treasury bills will hardly stand in the way of the financing of the more pressing needs of the Allies in the way of supplies to be obtained from the American market, and those needs are, and no doubt will continue, very great. Any obstacles put in the way of credit arrangements in behalf of the European Governments which are buying here would hardly reduce the volume of their purchases to a sufficient extent to cause serious curtailment of industrial activity. The fact of the matter is that a great number of orders have been pushed to one side because of the inability of manufacturers to care for them, and any slackening of foreign demand would under these conditions be easily made good out of the vast fund of domestic orders, many of which are perforce waiting until still more urgent demands have been met.

In so far as any lessening of foreign business would serve to lessen congestion in American business or to prevent any further congestion, a falling off in orders from abroad would carry with it valuable compensation, for there is a happy medium between conducting business on a hand-to-mouth basis and being permitted to see so far into the future as to run the risk of very great changes between the time of giving an order and of the time of having it filled. Some of our industries are sold as far ahead as it is at all desirable that they should be sold, and much worse things could happen than that they should have an opportunity to catch up a little with the vast accumulation of business. It is not by any means certain, however, that anything which has happened will necessitate a lessening of foreign orders. That might result, but it is not an unavoidable consequence of a mere official warning against a particular form of foreign financing. There are other ways in which the needs of our foreign customers can be provided. They can, for one thing, send us a great deal more gold, and that is a method which is again being resorted to on a large scale. The gold received from Canada this week already amounts to about $25,000,000.

In contrast with the much more active trading of recent days, the present dealings on the Stock Exchange seem dull. But they are still running well ahead of the mill-share total which not very long ago was accepted as the dividing line between normal and abnormal activity. Under the conditions which the stock market has assumed million-share days are possible even without any very large-scale public participation, and apparently at the moment the public is relatively inactive in the dealings on the Stock Exchange. Such share as it has taken is lending support against the bearishness of many professional traders, but even among this element, to judge by the action of the market, there are many who are still convinced that the constructive forces at work still outweigh those which have reactionary tendency. The money market was still relatively high yesterday, but less agitated than it had been. The prospect of further large receipts of gold is working toward an easing of the money position here.

LONDON MARKET IS SLACK.

Money in Good Demand and Discount Rates Are Quiet.

LONDON, Nov. 29.—The stock market continued slack today, but the tone was a shade better. Japanese and Chinese bonds and home rails were the busiest in the investment section and shipping, meat and rubber shares were the firmest in the rest of the markets. American securities started dull but improved and closed steady.

Money was in good demand and discount rates were quiet. Last week's revenue returns show that the sum of $70,000,000 was received for Treasury bills, while Exchequer bonds amounting to $55,000,000 were sold.

Trading Quiet on Paris Bourse.

PARIS, Nov. 29.—Trading was quiet on the Bourse today. Three per cent. rentes, 61 francs 10 centimes for cash. Exchange on London, 27 francs 81½ centimes. Five per cent. loan, 87 francs 90 centimes.

THE TREASURY STATEMENT.

Special to The New York Times.

WASHINGTON, Nov. 29.—Receipts and expenditures:

	This Month.	Fiscal Yr.
Customs receipts	$16,745,141	$85,483,354
Ord. internal rev.	31,986,981	169,538,474
Income tax	1,863,319	15,155,833
Miscellaneous	4,089,940	29,140,219
Total receipts	$54,685,382	$299,826,901
Excess of ord disburse. over ord. receipts	24,290,506	100,332,531
Excess of total disburse. over total receipts	21,298,285	107,760,898
Expenditures	78,975,889	399,659,433

FINANCIAL NOTES.

Stockholders of the Ingersoll-Rand Company have approved a proposition to increase the capital of the company by the issuance of 7,500 shares of new common stock. The stock is to be distributed to employes of the company who did not share in the distribution of some years ago.

Daniel Willard was re-elected President of the Baltimore & Ohio yesterday for his sixth term. Oscar G. Murray was re-elected Chairman of the Board of Directors, and the other officers were also returned to office.

Rights and privileges of holders of certificates of deposit of the Columbia Trust Company to subscribe to the first preferred stock of the International Motor Truck Corporation expired at the close of business Nov. 28.

George F. Morrison has been elected Vice President of the General Electric Company.

The Federal Oil Company has increased its directorate from eight to eleven by the election of the following new Directors: J. L. Lamprecht, President of the National Refining Company of Cleveland; Sheppard G. Schermerhorn, Vice President of the United Fruit Company, and Edgar D. Pouch of Pouch & Co.

S. W. Straus & Co. have purchased the entire issue of first mortgage 6 per cent. serial bonds of the Southern Hotel Building, Baltimore, Md., amounting to $725,000, and are offering the same to investors at par and accrued interest.

William S. Silkworth, Second Vice President of the Consolidated Stock Exchange, has resigned as Chairman of the Committee of Arrangements and has been succeeded by Lewis N. Morris, who has been the Vice Chairman.

The Hudson & Manhattan Railroad Company reports gross revenues of $513,465 for the month of October, the same being larger than for any month in the history of the company. The balance of net income for the month was $66,934, compared with $72,616 in October, 1915, but the total net income for the four months ended Oct. 31 was $164,596, compared with $162,169 the same period last year.

Adolph Lewisohn & Sons and J. S. Bache & Co. announce that more than 75 per cent. of the stock of the Tennessee Copper Company having been deposited under the call dated Oct. 16, the plan of readjustment has been declared effective. The time for making further deposits of stock has been extended to Dec. 4.

NEW YORK STOCK EXCHANGE

WEDNESDAY, NOV. 29, 1916.

	Shares.
Total sales	1,171,977
Same day last year	459,297
Same day two years ago	...
Year to date	208,163,152
Same period last year	159,702,334
Same period in 1914	41,989,158

Closing Bid.	Closing Ask.	Sales.		First.	High.	Low.	Last.	Net Chge.
98	98⅝	100	Acme Tea 1st pf.	98	98	98	98	...
...	...	600	Advance Rumely	18½	18¾	18½	18½	— ½
36	36½	1,200	Ad. Rumely pf	35	36½	35	36½	+1
69½	70	200	Ajax Rub. x d	70	70	70	70	+ ⅝
13½	13⅝	500	Alaska Gold Mines	13½	13½	13½	13½	+ ½
8	8¼	800	Alaska Juneau	8	8⅛	8	8	...
34	34⅝	4,500	Allis-Chalmers Mfg	33⅝	35⅛	33⅝	34½	+ ⅝
89½	90	700	Allis-Chal. Mfg. pf	89¾	90½	89¾	90	...
97	98	1,200	Am. Agri. Chem	97	97½	96	97	+1½
103⅜	104	1,700	Am. Beet Sugar	103	104½	103	103¾	+ ½
99½	100	200	Am. Beet Sugar pf	99½	99½	98½	98½	−1½
61¾	62	4,000	American Can	61½	62⅜	61½	62	+ ¼
114	115	100	American Can pf	114	114	114	114	...
72⅛	72⅜	8,900	Am. Car & Found	72¼	73½	72	72½	+ ½
52	52¾	100	American Cot. Oil	52	52	52	52	— ⅝
97	167⅞	2,200	Am. Hide & Leath	16⅝	17¼	16½	16⅝	+ ⅛
75¼	76	2,600	Am. H. & L. pf	74½	76¼	74½	75¼	+ ¼
27⅛	27¼	400	Am. Ice Securities	27⅛	27⅝	27⅛	27¼	...
22¼	22½	700	American Linseed	22½	22½	22	22½	— ⅛
52½	53	1,400	Am. Linseed pf	52¼	53¾	52¼	52⅝	— ¼
80	89¼	8,000	Am. Locomotive	88½	90	88½	88⅞	+ ½
10	10⅜	1,100	American Malt	9¾	10	9¾	10	+ ⅛
48¼	48⅞	400	American Malt pf	47⅞	48	47⅞	48	+ ⅛
116⅞	117	33,000	Am. Sm. & Refin	116	118¼	115⅝	116⅞	+ ⅛
116½	117	100	Am. Sm. & R. pf	116½	116½	116½	116½	...
99⅜	100	598	Am. Sm. Sec. pf. A	100	100	99½	99⅝	— ⅝
97¼	97½	600	Am. S. & Sec. pf. B	96¼	97	96¼	97	+1
65⅝	66	1,200	Am. Steel Found	65¼	66	65¼	66	+1
117¼	117½	1,000	Am. Sug. Refining	117¼	117⅝	117¼	117½	— ⅛
122	123	5	Am. Sug. Ref. pf	122	122	122	122	...
61	66	50	A. T. & Cable x d	63½	63½	63½	63½	...
128	128½	2,900	Am. T. & T.	128⅛	128⅛	128	128	— ⅛
2	2½	1,300	Am. T. & T. rights	2½	2½	2½	2½	...
217	219½	400	Am. Tobacco	219	219⅝	217½	217½	— 1¼
53½	53⅝	1,500	Am. Woolen	53⅜	54⅝	53⅜	53⅞	+ ⅛
97½	98¼	200	Am. Woolen pf	98¼	98¼	98¼	98⅛	— ⅛
65¾	66	3,455	Am. Writ. Paper pf	65½	66½	65¼	66	+ ¾
56⅞	57½	3,500	Am. Zinc L. S	56½	58	56½	57½	+1
98½	98¾	24,700	Anaconda Cop. Co	98	99¼	98	98½	+ ½
68	70	100	Associated Oil	69⅞	69⅞	69⅞	69⅞	— ⅝
68	80	100	Ass. Dry G. 1st pf	75	75	75	75	+5
105¼	105½	1,700	At., Top. & S. F	105	105⅜	105	105¼	+ ¼
100¾	100⅞	100	At., Top. & S. F. pf	100¾	100¾	100¼	100¾	— ¼
16	17	200	At., Birm. & At	17¼	17¼	17	17	— ¼
121	121½	2,000	At. Gulf & W. I	119½	122¾	119¼	122¼	+2¼
77½	78	36,600	Baldwin Locomot	81¾	81¾	76⅞	77½	+ ⅛
107⅝	108¾	400	Bald. Loco. pf	108	108	108	108	— ¼
85¾	85⅞	1,000	Baltimore & Ohio	86	86¼	85¾	85⅞	+ ⅝
...	...	50	Bank of Commerce	194	194	190	190	...
161	162	400	Barrett Co	161	161½	161	161½	+1½
601	620	200	Bethlehem Steel	601	619	601	619	—6
84⅞	85	1,000	Bklyn. Rapid Tran	84½	85	84½	85	+1
86	87	200	Burns Brothers	85½	85⅝	85½	85⅝	...
68⅜	68⅞	4,300	Butte & Superior	69½	70	68⅝	68⅞	— ½
16	18	100	Butterick Co	16½	16½	16½	16½	+ ⅝
25½	26	2,500	California Petrol	26⅜	26⅞	25¾	25½	—1
55¼	56	2,000	California Pet. pf	55½	56⅜	55½	55½	+ ⅝
168⅜	169	2,000	Canadian Pacific	165¾	169¼	167⅜	168⅜	+ ⅝
112	113	3,000	Chandler Motor	106	112⅝	100	112⅝	+8½
111⅜	111⅝	18,400	Central Leather Co	110⅝	112¼	110¼	111½	+ ⅞
115	116	200	Cent. Leath. Co. pf	115	115	115	115	+ ⅝
67¼	67⅝	1,800	Chesapeake & Ohio	67¼	67⅝	67¼	67½	+ ¼
18	19	200	Chicago & Alton	18	18	18	18	+ ½
14¾	14½	200	Chic. Gt Western	14⅜	14¾	14¾	14⅝	+ ⅛
43¾	43⅞	3,800	Ch. Gt. West. pf	43	43⅝	42⅝	43⅝	+1⅛
92⅝	93	500	Ch., Mil. St. P	93	93	92⅝	92⅝	—2
127	127	2,300	Chic. & N. W.	124½	125¼	124½	125¼	+1½
36⅞	36⅞	86,735	Ch., Rock I. & Pac.	38½	37¼	33	36⅞	+3⅝
133	140	100	C.,St.P., M. & O. pf	133¾	133½	133½	133½	...
32¼	32½	16,400	Chile Copper	32⅛	32⅝	31⅞	32¼	+ ⅛
67½	68	4,800	Chino Copper	68	67	67	68	+ ½
72	73	100	Clu., Peabody & Co	72½	72½	72½	72½	— ⅝
55⅜	56	5,000	Colo. Fuel & Iron	55	56⅛	55	56	+1
47⅜	48	4,300	Columbia G. & El	47⅜	48	47½	47⅝	...
23½	24	1,400	Con. Inst. C. M	24¼	24½	23⅝	24	— ⅝
112	115¾	500	Consolidated Coal	117	117⅞	117	117⅝	+1⅝
135	136	700	Consolidated Gas	133	135	133	133	— ⅝
126½	127¼	400	Con. Gas, P. Balt	127	127½	127	127¼	+ ⅛
98	99¼	200	Continental Can	99⅜	99⅜	99⅜	99⅜	— ⅛
59	61	100	Continental Insur	59	59	59	59	—1
26¼	26¼	19,400	Corn Prod. Refin	26⅛	27½	26	26⅜	+ ⅝
109	109¾	2,300	Corn Prod. R. pf	106	116	109	109⅝	+ ⅞
83⅜	83⅞	25,900	Crucible Steel	84	85⅝	82½	83⅜	— ½
123½	124	300	Crucible St. pf	123	124	123	124	+1
66	66⅞	12,300	Cuba Cane Sugar	66	67	65¼	66⅜	+ ⅛
98¼	98½	700	Cuba Cane S. pf	98¼	98¼	98¼	98½	+ ⅛
220¼	220¾	400	Cuban Am. Sugar	220¼	220¼	216½	216¼	—3⅞
96½	96¾	100	Deere & Co. pf	96½	96½	96½	96½	...
239	239	100	Del., Lack. & West	239	239	239	239	+1
44	45¼	1,700	Denver & Rio G. pf	44	45¼	44	44½	+ ½
145¼	148¼	150	Detroit Edison Co	145¼	148¼	145½	146¼	...
42⅞	43¾	1,500	Distillers Securities	42⅞	44	42⅞	43¼	+ ⅝
21¾	22	3,000	Dome Mines	22	22¼	21	22	— ½
73	75	100	Driggs Seabury	73½	73½	73½	73½	— ½
70	72⅜	200	Electric Stor. Bat	72	72	71	71	+1
37¼	37¾	6,200	Erie	36⅝	37⅞	36⅝	37¼	+ ⅛
51⅜	52	300	Erie 1st pf	52	52	51⅞	51⅝	+ ⅛
42	42½	100	Erie 2d pf	41¼	41½	41¼	41½	—1
41	46	100	Federal M. & S. pf	45	45	45	45	—3
42	43¼	300	Gaston W. & Wig	43½	43¼	43¼	43½	+2
178⅞	179½	200	General Electric	179¼	179¼	179	179	+ ⅛
120	120⅜	700	General Motors pf	120¼	120⅝	120¼	120⅜	+ ⅛
69½	69¾	1,800	Goodr'h, (B. F.)Co	68⅝	69¼	68⅝	69⅞	+ ⅞
106	107⅛	1,300	Granby Consol	105	107	104¼	106	— ⅛
116⅜	117	1,300	Great Northern pf	117½	117½	117	117	— ⅛
44⅞	44¾	2,000	G. N. Ore. for O.P.	44⅞	45¾	44½	44½	+4
52	52¼	300	Greene Can. Copper	52¼	52¼	52¼	52¼	+ ¼
172	176	600	Gulf States Steel	170	175	170	173½	+1
172	176	75	Do odd lot	169	169	169	169	...
110	113	200	Do 1st pf	114	114	113	113	—2
104½	105	1,600	Illinois Central	105	105¾	104⅝	104⅝	— ⅝
69¼	69⅞	8,400	Inspiration Copper	69¼	70⅝	69¼	69⅝	+ ⅛
18¼	18⅜	1,800	Interboro Con.	17⅞	18¼	17⅞	18¼	+ ⅛
74⅜	74½	300	Interboro Con. pf	74	74¼	74	74¼	+ ⅛
121	125	900	Intern. Harv., N. J.	122	126⅞	122	125	+3
82	84	800	Int. Harv. Corp	84	84⅝	84	84½	+1½
44⅞	45¼	8,500	Int. M. M. Pr. R	45	45⅝	44⅝	45¼	+ ⅞
116⅜	116⅝	8,800	Int. M. M. pf. R	115¾	116¾	115¾	116¾	+1¼
47	47¼	4,700	Intern. Nickel	46⅝	47¼	46⅝	46⅝	— ⅛
63	63¼	8,500	Intern. Paper	61⅞	64½	61½	63	+1
104⅜	105	2,300	Intern. Paper pf	103⅜	105	103⅜	105	+2
25½	25⅝	600	Kansas City So	26	26	25½	25½	— ¼
74½	76½	600	Kelly Spring Tire	75	75¾	75	75	...
4½	5	100	Keokuk & Ham Mo	5	5	5	5	+½
56⅝	56⅞	33,700	Kennec. Copper	56½	57	55⅝	56⅝	— ⅛
120	121⅜	100	Kings Co. E.L.& P	121½	121½	121½	121½	—4¼
120	121⅜	25	Do odd lot	121⅜	121⅜	121⅜	121⅜	...
102½	103	12,300	Lackawanna Steel	102¼	103⅜	102¼	102⅞	+ ⅝
37	38	1,100	Lee Rubber & Tire	37¼	38	37	37½	+ ½
81½	82	1,000	Lehigh Valley	82	82¼	81½	81½	+ ½
290	295	300	Liggett & Myers	290¼	295½	290¼	295½	+ ½
122	124	100	Liggett & M. pf	123	123	123	123	— ½
120	121	100	Lorll., (P.,) Co., pf	121	121	121	121	+1½
65½	66	100	Mackay Cos. pf	65⅞	65⅞	65⅞	65⅞	+ ⅛
73¼	73⅝	3,200	Maxwel Motors	72⅝	74⅜	73½	73⅝	+ ⅞
81⅛	81¾	600	Max. Motors 1st pf	81¾	82	81¾	81¾	+ ½
106	108	100	May Dept. St. pf	106½	106½	106½	106½	—1⅜
108	108½	6,700	Mexican Petroleum	108	109	107⅝	108½	+ ⅞
45½	45⅞	3,900	Miami Copper	44⅝	46¼	44⅝	45½	+ ½
30⅝	31	300	Minn. & St. L. new	31	31	30⅝	31	...
30⅝	31	25	Do. odd lot	31¼	31¼	31¼	31¼	...
7¼	7½	1,800	Mo., Kan. & Texas	7	7¼	7	7⅜	+ ⅛
12⅝	12⅞	2,800	Missouri Pacific	11⅝	13	11⅝	12⅝	+1⅛
12⅝	12⅝	12,700	Mo. Pacific t r	11⅝	13¼	11⅝	12⅝	+1⅛
29¾	29⅞	29,900	Mo. Pacific w i	28⅝	30¼	28¾	29⅝	+1⅛
58⅞	59	1,300	Mo. Pacific pf. w i	58¾	59⅜	58¾	58¾	+ ⅛
106	107	1,400	Montana Power	105	108	105	106	+1
...	...	100	Nat. Biscuit Co	121½	121½	121½	121¾	+ ½
83	84	100	Nat. Cloak & Suit	83	83	83	83	+1
32½	33	800	Nat. En. & St. Co	32⅜	33¼	32½	32¾	...
67⅛	68	100	Nat. Lead Co	67½	67¾	67½	67½	+ ¼
29⅞	30	5,200	Nevada Con. Cop	29¼	30¼	29¼	30	+1
179	180	2,100	N. Y. Air Brake	177½	180	177½	179	—2
106½	107	4,000	N. Y. Central	106¼	107¼	106¼	107¼	+ ⅞
20⅝	21	200	N. Y. Dock	21	21	21	21	+ ⅛
57¼	57½	1,100	N. Y. N. H. & H	57⅝	58	57½	57⅝	+ ⅛
33	33¼	19,350	N. Y., Ont. & West	32¾	33⅞	32¾	33	+1
138½	138⅝	3,300	Norfolk & Western	138¾	139¾	138¾	139¾	+ ½
70¼	71	300	North American	70⅝	70⅞	70⅝	70⅞	+ ⅛
110⅝	111	1,800	Northern Pacific	110¼	111	110¼	111	+ ½
144⅜	145	600	Nova Scotia S. & C	144½	145	144¼	145	+2⅝
104¼	104½	4,100	Ohio Cities Gas	104¼	104½	103	104⅜	— ⅝
6	6¼	100	Ontario Silver	6¼	6¼	6¼	6¼	— ⅛
95	96	500	Owens Bottle Mach	95¾	96	95½	96¼	+1
99	99½	300	Pan-Am. P. & T. pf	99	99¼	99	99¼	+ ⅛
56⅞	57	1,742	Penn. R. R.	56⅞	57	56⅜	57	— ⅛
108	108½	100	People's Gas, Chi	108¼	108½	108½	108½	— ½
45¼	46	8,800	Philadelphia Co	45⅞	46¼	45¼	45½	— ½
53⅜	54	47,500	Pitts. Coal cfs. of d	50¼	54	49½	53⅜	+4½
110	125	200	Pittsburgh Coal pf	111	111	111	111	—4
112	115	700	Pitts.C. pf. cfs. of d	112	114¾	112	112⅜	+1⅞
83	83⅜	4,200	Pressed Steel Car	81½	83⅜	81½	83½	+1½
106	107½	100	Pressed Steel Car pf	107⅜	107½	107¼	107⅜	— ⅝
133	134	100	Public Service N. J	133	133	133	133	—1
166¼	167	700	Pullman Co	166¼	166¼	166¼	166¼	...
58⅝	59	2,800	Railway Steel Sp	58½	58⅞	58⅛	58⅞	+ ⅞
32⅜	32⅞	13,700	Ray Con. Copper	32	33¼	32	33	+ ⅞
109¾	109⅞	55,800	Reading	109¾	110¾	109¾	110⅞	+ ⅛
86⅞	87	29,000	Rep. Iron & Steel	86¼	88¼	85⅞	87	+ ½
115⅞	116	100	Rep. Iron & S. pf	116¾	115¾	115¾	115½	+ ⅛
24	24½	800	St. L. & S. F. w i	23¾	24	23¾	24	+ ½
26	27	500	St. L. Southwestern	26¼	26½	26¼	26¼	...
75½	78	100	Saxon Motor	77½	77½	77½	77½	— ½
16	16½	100	Seaboard Air Line	16	16	16	16	...
37½	38	100	Seab. Air Line pf	37⅝	37⅞	37⅝	37⅝	+ ⅛
126½	127½	100	Sears, R. & Co. pf	127	127	127	127	+ ½
32¾	33	1,500	Shattuck-Arizona	32⅜	33	32¼	32¼	+ ⅛
84	85	1,500	Sloss-S. S. & I. Co	83½	84⅝	83½	84	...
98½	98¾	3,000	Southern Pac. x d	98⅜	98⅞	98⅜	98⅜	— ⅛
120½	121	100	Southern R. Mob pf	120	120	120	120	...
27¼	27½	6,500	Southern Railway	27⅛	28	27⅛	27⅜	+ ⅛
67½	68	600	Southern Ry. pf	67	67½	67	67½	+ ⅛
120½	121	11,600	Studebaker Co	122½	123	120	120⅜	—2½
109¼	110	100	Studebaker Co. pf	109¼	109¼	109½	109½	— ½
63	64	200	Stutz Motor	63½	63½	63	63	—1½
24¼	25	200	Tenn. Cop. & C.P.	24¼	24¼	24¼	24¼	...
206½	207¼	4,900	Texas Co. x d, x r	204½	209¾	204½	207¼	+4⅜
26½	26¾	7,300	Texas Co. rights	26	27	25¾	26¼	+ ¾
17½	17⅞	2,300	Texas & Pacific	17	18	17	18	+1
48½	49	900	Third Avenue	48¾	48¾	48¼	48⅝	— ⅛
52⅝	53	600	Tobacco Products	53	53	52¾	52¾	+ ¼
102	103½	100	Tobacco Prod. pf	102	102	102	102	...
8¾	9½	400	Tol., St. L. & West	9¾	9¾	9¾	9¾	...
13¾	14	1,600	Union B. & P. Co	14	14⅛	13⅞	13⅞	— ⅜
113	114	500	U. B. & P. Co. new	115	115	114	114	—1⅛
80	83	100	Un. B. & P. Co. pf	82	82	82	82	—5
148¼	148¾	12,600	Union Pacific	148¼	149¼	148¼	148¾	+ ⅞
83	83½	200	Union Pacific pf	83¾	83¾	83¼	83¾	...
47¼	47¾	200	United Cigar Mfrs	47⅞	47⅞	47½	47⅞	...
98	99	100	United Cigar Stores	98⅜	98⅜	98⅜	98⅝	+ ⅛
53	53¼	100	United Drug 1st pf	53	53	53	53	...
159	160¼	2,800	United Fruit	160¼	160¼	159	160	— ¼
13⅝	14	100	United Rys. Invest	13⅞	13⅞	13⅞	13⅞	— ⅛
27	27½	300	United Rys. Inv. pf	27⅞	27⅞	27⅝	27⅝	— ⅛
25½	25¾	800	U. S. C. I. P. & F	25	25¾	25	25¼	+ ⅛
134¾	135	7,300	U. S. Indus. Alco	134	136¾	133½	135	+ ½
29	33	400	U. S. Ind. Imp. Co	28	28	28	28	—1
2¾	2⅞	800	U. S. Red. & Ref	2¼	2¼	2	2	...
2	2¾	300	U. S. Red. & R. pf	2	2¼	2	2½	...
65⅜	66	6,100	U. S. Rubber	63⅜	66	63⅜	66	+2½
113¼	113⅞	400	U. S. Rub. 1st pf	113⅞	113⅞	113⅞	113⅞	+ ⅝
76⅜	77⅛	2,200	U. S. Sm., R. & M	76⅜	77½	76⅜	77	+1
127	127⅛	252,850	U. S. Steel	125¾	128	125¾	127¼	+1
121¼	122	1,700	U. S. Steel pf	121¾	122	121¾	121¾	+ ½
121½	121⅝	11,500	Utah Copper	121¼	122¼	121	121⅜	+ ⅛
23¼	23⅜	7,000	Utah Securities	23⅜	23⅝	23	23	+ ⅛
48	48⅜	1,000	Va.-Car. Chemical	47¼	48¼	47¼	48	+ ½
64	65	200	Va. Iron, Coal & C	63¼	64	63¼	64	+ ½
15¼	15¼	600	Wabash	15	15¼	15	15¼	+ ⅛
57½	57⅝	6,800	Wabash pf. A	56¼	58	56¼	57¾	+1½
30⅜	30⅝	6,800	Wabash pf. B	30	31¼	30	30⅜	+ ⅝
26½	27

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PUBLIC UTILITIES

Transactions in Stocks and Bonds—Quotations for Railway, Light, and Power Issues.

The following range of prices and closing quotations were reported to THE NEW YORK TIMES by dealers in public utility securities. The trading in these securities is done privately over the counter, and this record gives only those trades which are reported by the dealers making them:

STOCKS.

Sales.		High.	Low.	Closing. Bid.	Asked.
1,500	A. W. W. & E. 1st	15	12	14¾	15½
600	A.W.W.&E. 1 pf	76¼	72	76	77
200	A.W.W.&E. par.	32	28¾	30	33
510	Cities Service	331	321	328	329
4,300	Cities Serv. pf.	93	92¼	92¾	93
300	Com'wealth Pr.	61½	60¼	60	62
400	Com. Pr. pf.	84½	83¾	83¾	84½
1,700	N. Ohio Elec.	45½	44	44½	45½
800	N. Ohio E. pf.	82½	81¼	81½	82½
200	Pine Bluff pf.	99	99	98	100

Closing quotations for issues not included in the table of transactions above were as follows:

	Bid.	Asked.
Appalachian Power	8¼	9
Appalachian Power pf	83	84
Adirondack Electric Power	26	28
Adirondack Electric Power pf	84	87
American Cities	11	14
American Cities pf	47½	49
American Power & Light	76	77
American Power & Light pf	86	87
American Gas Co	120	123
American Gas & Electric	152	155
American Gas & Electric pf	50	51
American Public Utilities	40	43
American Public Utilities pf	72	74
American Light & Trac	380	381
American Light & Traction pf	111	112½
Atlantic P. P. pf	*95	..
*American Power & Light	76	77
American Power & Light pf	86	87
Baton Rouge Elec. pf	88	..
Carolina Power & Light	35	38
Carolina Power & Light pf	97	100
Central Miss. Valley Prop. pf	73	76
Central States Electric	21	24
Central States Electric pf	78	86
Colorado Power	31	32
Colorado Power pf	100	103
Columbus Electric pf	80	85
Consumers' Power pf	97	99
Connecticut Power pf	93	..
Eastern Texas Electric	60	..
Eastern Texas Electric pf	89½	92
El Paso Electric	120	123
El Paso Electric pf	100	..
Electric B. & S. pf	99½	100
Electric Properties	65	70
Empire D. E. pf	90	94
Federal Light & Traction	17½	19
Federal Light & Traction pf	55	58
Galveston-Houston Electric	32	36
Galveston-Houston Electric pf	74	77
Gas & Electric Securities	300	310
Gas & Electric Securities pf	95	100
Illinois Traction	..	46
International Traction	49	51
International Traction pf	90	92
Interstate Electric	30	35
Lincoln Gas & Electric	47	49
Mississippi River Power	10	11
Mississippi River Power pf	40	..
Northern Ontario Light & Power	14	17
Northern Ontario Lt. & Power pf	57	62
Northern States Power	103¼	105
Northern States Power pf	100¾	101
Northern Texas Electric	50	..
Northern Texas Electric pf	82¼	86
Ozark Power & Water	44	48
Pacific G. & E.	66	66¼
Pacific G. & E. pf	91	92
Puget Sound Traction	25	..
Puget Sound Traction pf	68	..
Pennsylvania Light Co	33	40
Pennsylvania Light Co. pf	75	83
Republic Railway & Light	49¾	50½
Republic Railway & Light pf	78	80
Securities Corp. general	18	23
Securities Corp. general pf	80	85
Southern California Edison	90½	92
Southern California Edison pf	106	108
Standard G. & E.	16¾	17
Standard G. & E. pf	44	†45
Southwestern Power & Light pf	97½	100
Tampa Electric	128	132
Tenn. Ry., L. & P.	11	13
Tenn. Ry., L. & P. pf	50	53
United Gas & Electric	10	14
United Gas & Electric 1st pf	73	76
United Gas & Electric 2d pf	11	15
United Light & Railways	50	51
United Light & Railways pf	79	80
Western Power	18	20
Western Power pf	69¼	71
*West. Penn. pf	103	107

BONDS.

American Power & Light 6s, 1921	100		101½
American W. W. & E. 5s	80		81
Baton Rouge cons. 5s	90		92½
Baton Rouge notes, April 1, 1918	90¼		..
Central Illinois Light 5s	95		97
Cinn. G. & E. Co. 1st 5s	100¾		101
Columbia G. & El. 1st 5s, 1927	88		90
Columbia G. & El. deb. 5s, 1927	80		82
Conn. Power 1st 5s	96		..
Com. Co. P. & L. 1st & ref. 5s	42	95½	98½
Dallas Electric 5s, 1917		96½	..
Defiance Gas & Electric 5s, 1942	91		94
Denver Gas & Electric gen. 5s	98		100
East Ohio Gas 1st 5s, 1939		100½	102
Eastern Texas Electric 6s, 1918		99½	..
Eastern Texas Electric col. 5s	92		95
Empire Gas & Fuel 6s, 1926		99¾	100
Galveston Electric 1st 5s	90		95
Great Lakes Power 6s, 1935	99		101
Great Western Power 5s, 1946		90¾	91
Great Western Power 6s, 1926	98		100
Houston Electric 1st 5s		98½	..
Interm. R., L. & P. 1st 6s, '42	99		102
Knoxville Gas 1st 5s, 1933	90		95
Lincoln G. & E. Co. 1st 5s, 1941	91		96½
Middle West U. 6s, 1925		97½	99
Mahoning & Shen. R. & L. 5s		99½	100
Miss. River Power Co. 1st 5s	75		76
Miss. Valley G. & E. 5s, 1022	94		94½
Northern States Power 6s, 1926		100	100¼
Northern States Power 5s, 1941		97¼	98¼
North. Texas Elec. col. trust 5s	90		94
Omaha & C. B. Ry. 1st 5s, 1928		95½	98
Pensacola Electric 1st 5s		87½	..
Roanoke W. W. 1st 6s	99		..
Seattle Electric con. 5s	94		98
Standard G. & E. conv. 6s, 1926		99½	100
Tampa Electric 1st 5s	99		..
U. S. S., R. & M. 6s, 1926	111		113
W. West. Light 6s, 1925	96		98
Western States G. & E. 1st 5s		91¼	93½
West. Penn. Power 1st 5s, 1946		97½	98

*And dividend. †Ex dividend.

NEW YORK CITY BONDS.

			Yesterday. Bid.	Asked.	Tuesday. Bid.	Asked.
6s	Sept.,	1917	101¼	101⅝	101⅜	101⅝
4½s	June,	1963	110½	111	110¾	111
4½s	Mar.,	1963	110¼	110½	110¼	110¾
4½s	Nov.,	1957	109¾	110	109⅝	110
4½s	May,	1957	109¾	110	109⅝	110
4½s	Apr.,	1966	105	105½	105¼	105¾
4½s	Mar.,	1964	104¾	105½	105	105½
4½s	Sept.,	1960	104¾	105	104⅞	105¾
4½s	Mar.,	1960-1966	103¾	103½	103¾	103¾
4s	Nov.,	1938	102	102½	102	102½
4s	May,	1937	102	102½	102	102½
4s	Nov.,	1935	101¼	101⅝	101¼	101⅜
4s	Nov.,	1936	101⅛	101⅜	101⅛	101⅜
4s	Nov.,	1936	101	101¼	101	101¼
3½s	Nov.,	1956	93¾	..	93¾	..
3½s	Nov.,	1954	93⅝	94¼	93⅝	94¼
3½s	May,	1954	93⅝	94¼	93⅝	94¼

The following are quoted on a percentage basis:

4½s	1924-1930		3.97	3.85	3.97	3.85
4½s	1918-1923		3.97	3.85	3.97	3.85
4½s	Nov.,	1917	4.00	..	4.00	..
4½s	June,	1917	3.75	..	3.75	..
4½s	May,	1917	3.75	..	3.75	..
4½s		1924-1931	3.95	3.85	3.95	3.85
4½s		1921-1923	3.95	3.85	3.95	3.85
4½s	Apr.,	1920	3.90	3.80	3.90	3.80
4½s		1917-1919	3.90	3.75	3.90	3.75
4s	May,	1919	3.95	..	3.95	..
4s	Nov.,	1915	3.90	..	3.90	..
4s	May,	1917	3.75	..	3.90	..
3½s		1940-1953	3.90	3.80	3.90	3.80
3½s		1930-1939	3.93	..	3.93	..
3½s		1922-1929	3.95	3.80	3.95	3.80
3½s		1919-1921	3.80	..	3.80	..
3½s		1917-1918	3.75	3.50	3.75	3.50
3s		1940-1952	3.90	3.80	3.90	3.80
3s		1926-1930	4.00	..	4.00	..
3s		1918-1925	3.90	3.75	3.90	3.75
3s		1916-1917	3.75	..	3.60	..

TOBACCO STOCKS.

Closing quotations of stocks not quoted elsewhere were:

	Yesterday. Bid.	Asked.	Tuesday. Bid.	Asked.
American Cigar	110	115	110	115
American Cigar pf	96	100	96	100
Conley Foil	300	325	300	325
J. S. Young	145	155	145	155
J. S. Young pf	105	110	105	110
Johnson T. F. & M.	100	130	100	150
MacAndrews & F.	195	205	195	205
MacAndrews & F. pf	100	102	100	102
Porto Rico-Am. Tob.	250	280	250	280
R. J. Reynolds Tob.	610	630	610	630
R. J. Reyn. Tob. pf.	123	125	123	125

BOSTON CURB.

	Bid.	Asked.		Bid.	Asked.
Alvarado	75	1⅛	Iron Bloss.	1⅝	1¾
Am. Oil	.15	.16	Iron Cop.	11¾	12¼
Begole	1¼	1⅜	Iron C. pf.	11¾	12
B. St. Gas	.14	.16	Jerome Y.	1⅛	1⅜
Bing. Min.	10¾	11¼	La Rose	.50	.60
Bohemia	2¾	3	Majestic	.80	.84
Bost. & C.	70	75	McK.-D.	.84	.86
Bost. Ely	.75	.80	Mex. Mets.	.50	.55
Bost. & M.	.75	.77	Moj. Tung.	2¼	2⅜
Bost. & A.	2	2⅛	N. L. & Z.	.66	.68
Butte & L.	.68	.67	N. Baltic	4	5⅛
Butte & D.	1	1⅛	N. Cornelia	18¾	19
Cal. Corbin	2	2½	Nev. Doug.	1⅞	2
Calaveras	5½	6	N. U. Bing.	.75	1
Cham. Cop.	15	16	Nixon	.33	.40
Chief Con.	2¼	2⅜	Oneco	.90	1
Con. Cop.	3¾	4	Onondaga	1	1¼
Con. Ariz.	1⅝	1⅞	Ohio Cop.	.43	.45
Crown Res.	.43	.47	Pilot Butte	.08	.10
Cortez	.30	.40	R. Con. M.	3	3½
Davis-D.	5¼	5¾	Ray Herc.	5⅝	6
Earle	.50	.53	Rilla	.09	.10
E. & B. B.	1⅝	1¾	S.W.Miami	..	..
First N. C.	4¼	..	Unico	4½	5
Fortuna	.16	.17	S.W.Miami pf.	..	..
Gold Lake	.15	.17	P. P.	4	4¼
Homa Oil	.80	.85	Truro	2	2¼
Houghton	2¾	2¾	U. V. Ext.	40¼	41
Humboldt	2¼	2⅜	Yukon Gold	2¼	2⅝

BID AND ASKED QUOTATIONS

Closing quotations for United States Government bonds:

	Bid.	Asked.
2s, r, 1930	99½	100
2s, c, 1930	99½	..
3s, r, 1918	100⅝	101¼
3s, c, 1918	100⅝	..
3s, 1946	101¼	102
4s, r, 1925	110	110¾
4s, c, 1925	110½	..
Pan 2s, r, 1936	99¼	100
Pan 2s, r, 1938	99¼	100
Pan 3s, r, 1961	102	..
Pan 3s, c, 1961	102	..

Closing quotations for stocks in which there were no transactions:

	Bid.	Asked.
Acme Tea	67¼	68¾
Adams Ex.	140	148
Alb & S.	245	..
Am Ag Ch pf	103¾	104
Am B N	41¾	43
Do pf	51¾	53
Am B S & Fdy	106	109½
Do pf	..	210
Am C & F pf	117¾	118
Am Coal	35½	..
Am Cot Oil pf	66	102
Am Ex, ex div	135	139
Am Lo pf	107	108¾
Am Snuff	140	145
Do pf	105	109
Am T pf	106½	109
Am Z pf	78½	80
Asso D G	25	29
Do 2d pf	49	65
Ann Arbor	..	30
Do pf	..	60
Assets R	3	4
Atl C L	121	125
A G & W I pf	70	70½
B & O pf	74	74⅝
Barrett Co pf	118	121
Batop M	1⅞	2
Beech Cr	44½	..
Beth S pf	153	159
B Un G	131	134
Brown Sh	73½	74
Do pf	98	102
Bruns Ter	8	8½
B, R & P	97	99
Do pf	110	..
Burns Bros pf	105	110
Bush Ter	90	108
Can So	77¼	58½
Case (J I) pf	87	87½
C C & O	25	32
Do pf	50	55
C R I & P of N	290	300
C & S A Tel	147	152¾
Chi & A pf	26	31
C., M & St Paul pf	125	125¾
C & N W pf	175	185
C, St P, M & Om	115	120
C, C, C & St L	56¾	57¾
Cleve & P	84	..
Do spec	48	..
Cliu-P pf	109	115½
Col & So	32	34
Do 1st pf	59½	61
Do 2d pf	45	55
Com T R	48¾	49
Con C pf	113	114¼
Cons Cop	45	65
C-Am Sug pf	104	112
Del & H	150¾	151
D & R G	18½	20
Det & M	80	..
Do pf	90	..
Det U R	116¾	120
D, S S & A	4½	5¼
Do pf	9½	12¾
E & P, ex div	62¾	..
F M & S	16	22
Gen Ch	315	325
Do pf	115	116¾
Gen Mot	700	800
G'drich pf	113	114
G & S T	112¾	..
Gulf S S 2d pf	172	180
Harb-W	106	..
Do pf	105	..
Helme (G W) Co	185	205
Do pf	117¾	124
Homestake	132	135
Int Agric	23¼	23¾
Do pf	52½	53
I H N J pf	120	125
Int H Cor pf	112	117
Int N pf	106½	..
Iowa Cent	6¾	7
Jewel Tea	83	85
Do pf	109	111
K C, Ft S & M pf	73	75
Kan C So pf	89	90
Kelly S T pf	98	99
K & D M pf	..	50
Laci Gas	112	113
L E & W	22¾	24½
Do pf	48	51
Long Isl'd	33	35
L-W Bis	20	25
Do 1st pf	55	57
Do 2d pf	50	70
Lorill'd Co	230	239
Louis & N	133	135
M'kay Cos	84¼	85
Man B'ch	1¾	3½
Man Elev	128½	131
Max M 2d pf	48¾	49
May Dep S	65	66
Mich Cent	126	135
M, St P & S S M	119	120
Do pf	125	130
Do 1 l	74	85
M, K & T pf	17¼	18¾
Mon P pf	117	117½
Mon W pf	114	..
Mor & Es	82	89
N, C & St L	130	140
N C & S pf	109	113½
Nat En pf	97½	101
Nat L pf	112	114¾
Nat Rys of M 1st pf	..	23
Do 2d pf	5	6
N Y, C & St L	38½	41
Do 1st pf	79	83
Do 2d pf	60	63
N Y D pf	50	55
N Y, L & West	114¼	123
Norf So	25	28
N & W pf	85	86
N W Tel	52½	60
Owens B M pf	117½	121
Pac Coast	56	65
Do 1st pf	70	80
Do 2d pf	70	80
Pan Mail	26¼	..
Do pf	92	96¼
Pabst B pf	92	..
P T & Tel	34½	35
Do pf	97¼	98
Peo & E	18	16
Patt-Mull	..	50
De 1st pf	..	94
P, C, C & St L	82	86
Do pf	92	94
Phila Coal	50	90
P, Ft W & C	158	..
Do spec	140½	..
Pitts S pf	103	104
Quicksilver	3	3⅝
Do pf	2	4⅝
R R Sec, 1 C stk ctfs	60	80
Ry Stl Spr pf	103	103⅝
Rdg 1st pf	44	45
Do 2d pf	45	46¼
Rens & S	174¼	..
St J & S F pf, w i	..	47
St L S W pf	48	50
Seab A L ctfs	14	17
Do pf cts	35	40
Sears-Roeb	228	228½
So P R S	217½	222
St'd Mill	102	105
Do pf	90¼	94
T P pf	150	155
Tob P pf	102	103½
T, St L & W ctfs	8¼	10
Do pf cts	16½	18
T C R T	94¾	95¼
Do pf	120	135
Und Typ	104	105
Do pf	110	120
Un Cig Mf pf	105	108
Un Cig Sts pf, ex d	118	120
Un Drug	76	76½
Do 2d pf	91½	94½
U S C I P pf	63½	65
U S Exp	21	24
U S Ind A pf	103	105
U S S pf	51½	52
Va-Car Ch pf	113	114
W F Exp	137¼	139
W E & M 1st pf	72	76
Wevm-Bru	275	310
W P pf	115¾	124
W & L E ctfs	1	2
Do 1st pf	3	3½
Do 2d pf	2¾	3½
Do 2d pf ctfs	1½	2½
Wis Cent	49	51
W'st'n (P W) pf	125½	..

OUT-OF-TOWN MARKETS

BOSTON.

MINING.

Sales.		Open.	High.	Low.	Last.
100	Adventure	5	5¼	5	5¼
75	Ahmeek	120	120½	120	120½
66	Alaska	13	13	13	13
385	Algomah	1⅛	1⅛	⅛	1⅛
843	Allouez	78	78½	78	78¼
1,910	Am Zinc	56⅛	58	56⅛	57
1,410	Arizona Com	16½	17	16¼	17
95	Butte & Balak	2½	2½	2½	2½
210	Butte & Sup	69¼	69¼	68⅞	69
1,060	Calu & Ariz	92	93	92	93
37	Calu & Hecla	625	634	625	634
25	Centennial	22½	22½	22½	..
10	Chino	68	68	68	68
8,810	Copper Range	77	77⅝	77	78
55	Daly West	3¾	3¾	3	3
2,430	East Butte	17⅜	18¾	17⅜	18
113	Franklin	11	11	11	11
10	Granby	106	106	106	106
260	Hancock	19⅞	21	19⅞	20½
260	Helvetia	.80	.80	.63	.63
570	Indiana	4½	4½	4¼	4¼
195	Islang Creek	63¾	63½	63	63½
95	Isle Royale	38	39½	38	39
175	Keweenaw	5¼	5½	5	5¼
201	Lake	15	15	15	15
100	La Salle	5½	5¾	5¼	5¼
20	Mass Con	17¾	17¾	17¾	17¾
90	Michigan	4¼	4½	4¼	4½
200	Mohawk	101	102	101	102
50	Nevada Con	30¼	30¾	30	30
100	New Arcadian	6⅝	7	6¾	7
85	New Idria	15½	15½	15½	15½
120	Niplssing	9	9¼	8⅞	8⅞
1,795	North Butte	26¾	28¾	26¾	28¼
100	North Lake	2¼	2¼	2¼	2¼
680	Old Dominion	77⅛	79¾	77⅛	79½
95	Osceola	99	99¾	98	99
440	Pond Creek	18¾	19	18¼	18⅞
200	Quincy	90	90	88	98
60	Santa Fe	2	2⅜	2	2⅜
1,210	Shannon	10	10¼	10	10¼
35	South Lake	6¼	6¼	6¼	6¼
680	South Utah	35c.	40c.	25c.	40c.
20	St. Marys La	104½	105	104½	105
2,190	Sup. & Bost	7⅛	7⅞	7¼	7¼
210	Tamarack	44½	45	44	45
275	Trinity	7⅛	8	7⅛	7⅜
2,550	Tuolumne	97c.	1.00	95c.	1.00
200	Union Cop. L.	1⅜	2	1⅜	1⅜
1,785	U. S. Smelt	76⅞	77⅝	75¾	77
15	U. S. S. pf	51½	51½	51½	51½
460	Utah Apex	3⅞	3⅞	3⅞	3⅞
1,405	Utah Con	21½	22¼	21	22
30	Utah Copper	122½	122¾	122½	122½
300	Utah Metals	7¼	7¼	7¼	7¼
310	Victoria	7	7	7	7
310	Winona	6	6¼	6	6¼
190	Wolverine	53	55½	55	55½
240	Wyandot	2¼	2¼	2	2

RAILROADS.

4	Atchison	105	105	105	105
5	Boston Elev	73¼	73½	73¼	73½
10	Boston & Me	43	43	43	43
1	Fitchburg pf	77	77	77	77
15	Mass. Elect. pf	29½	29½	29½	29½
37	New Haven	57¼	57¼	57¼	57½
44	Old Colony	142	142	142	142
5	Ver. & Mass.	111	111	111	111
10	W. E. St. R.R.	56	56	56	56

MISCELLANEOUS.

15	Am. A. C. pf.	103	103	103	103
275	Am. Pneu. Ser.	1¾	1¾	1½	1⅝
15	Am. P. S. pf.	11¼	11¼	11½	11½
25	Am. Wool. pf.	98¾	98¾	98¾	98¾
10	Amoskeag	77⅛	77¼	77½	77½
910	A., G. & W. I.	121	122¾	120	121¾
80	A.,G.&W.I. pf.	71	71½	71	71
20	Cuban Cement.	23	23	23	23
33	Edison	230	230¾	230	230
3	Gen. Electric	178½	178½	178½	178½
100	Ga. Ry. & E.	131¾	131¾	131¾	131¾
15	Mergenthaler	179	179	179	179
800	Mass. Gas	96	96	95¾	96
110	Mass. Gas pf.	81	81	81	81
35	N. Scotia Steel	145	145	145	145
400	New River	29	29½	28½	29
195	New River pf.	88	88¼	88	88
45	N. E. Tel.	126	126	125¾	125¾
182	Nipe Bay Sug.	160	160	160	160
735	Punta A. Sug.	50	50	50	50
220	Swift	146	146	145½	145½
185	Torrington	67	67	66½	67
480	United Fruit	160¼	160¼	159	160
225	U. Shoe Mach.	57¾	57¾	57¾	57¾
80	U. Shoe M. pf.	29¾	30	29¾	30
775	Ventura	9¼	9¾	9¼	9¾

BONDS.

$1,000	A. T. & T. 5s	100	100	100	100
56,000	A. T. & T. 4s	91	91	90¾	90¾
1,000	A.,G.&W.I. 5s	87¼	87¼	87¼	87¼
30,000	Copper R'ge 5s	88	90	88	90
6,000	Mass.G. 4½s	79	98½	98¼	98¼
5,000	N. E. Tel. 5s	102	102	102	102
9,000	New River 5s	81	81¾	81	81¾
1,000	Pond Creek 6s	101	101	101	101
3,000	Swift & Co. 5s	102	102	102	102
14,000	West. Tel. 5s	100½	100½	100	100

CHICAGO.

STOCKS.

Sales.		Open.	High.	Low.	Last.
3	Am. Radiator	425	425	425	425
175	Am. Ship	66	66	66	66
188	Booth Fish	62	63	62	63
240	Booth Fish pf	88	88	88	88
500	City & Conn	5½	5½	5	5
1,400	City & Conn. pf	39	39	37½	39
1,400	Pneumatic Tool	74	76½	74	75¾
5	Chic. Ry. Ser. 1	78	78	78	78
100	Com. Edison	141½	141½	141½	141½
250	Diamond Match	130	131	130	131
125	Hart S.&M. pf.	87	87	87	87
140	Lindsay Light	19¼	19½	19½	19½
9	Mont.-Ward pf.	116	116	116	116
30	Carbon	295	295	295	295
30	Carbon pf	133	133	133	133
171	Peoples Gas	108	109	108	109
10	Quaker Oats	834	834	834	834
979	Sears-Roebuck	230½	231	229	229
10	Sears-Roe. pf.	126½	126½	126½	126½
406	Stew't Warner	105¾	106	105¼	105¾
1,441	Swift	144½	146	144½	145¾
21	Carbide	197	199	197	198
170	Paper	86½	87	85¾	85¾
150	Paper pf	76	76	76	76
588	Deere pf	96¼	96½	96¼	96¼
290	Prestolite	137⅞	145	137½	143¼
45	Hartman	77	77	77	77
110	Pulp	12½	13¾	12½	13¾

BONDS.

$4,000	Armour 4½s	94¾	94¾	94¾	94¾
76,000	City Conn. 5s	82½	82¾	82½	82½
10,000	Booth 6s	93¾	93¾	93¾

SAYS STATES WANT RAILROAD CONTROL

Congressman Sims Declares They Would Be Unwilling to Yield to the Nation.

MIGHT SELL SOME ROADS

Owners Would Accept Fair Offers from the Government, Thom Tells Newlands Committee.

Special to The New York Times.

WASHINGTON, Nov. 29.—The cross-examination of Alfred P. Thom, counsel to the Railway Executives Advisory Committee, was continued today at the hearing of the Newlands Committee, which is investigating transportation problems. Congressman Sims of Tennessee for the most part conducted the examination.

The Congressman was inclined to deplore what he regarded as the inability of Congress to take a broad national stand in its action on such national questions as the settlement of the railroad problem, but said that the individual States would insist on asserting their rights over the railroads within their boundaries in their own way, and that their Congressional representatives had no alternative except to follow the mandate of the electorates.

A discussion of Government ownership started when Mr. Thom repeated his warning of yesterday that if private ownership of railroads broke down Government ownership would replace it.

"You think it is breaking down, don't you?" said Mr. Sims.

Mr. Thom hesitated, and then replied: "It will break down unless relief is given."

"And yet the railroads are not now willing to sell properties to the Government at a fair value," remarked Mr. Sims.

Mr. Thom immediately caught up the suggestion, saying that he was very far from sure of this. "You might be very much surprised," he said, "at the number of acceptances you would have if you offered them fair value. Some of them are more pessimistic than others."

Mr. Thom read into the record a letter from Benjamin Strong, Governor of the Federal Reserve Bank of New York, to Frank Trumbull, Chairman of the Chesapeake & Ohio Railroad, in which he called attention to the high interest rates prevailing abroad, which he believed would continue after the war, and Mr. Thom thought this might operate against the interests of the railroads.

Mr. Strong suggested that further sales of foreign-owned railroad securities might be made in this country because more attractive investments would be available abroad. Mr. Strong said that he was confident that the United States would be in competition with all the belligerent nations in all parts of the world, in all departments of commerce. He also raised the question of the position in which railroads would find themselves which have short-term notes maturing immediately after the war when money will demand a higher rate of interest than these notes now bear.

Because of the holiday tomorrow, the hearing was adjourned until Friday at 10:30 o'clock.

DISCUSS SWITCHMEN'S DAY.

Local Yard Conditions Must Be Considered, Witnesses Say.

The Newlands Board of Arbitration, which is hearing the demands of the switchmen on thirteen railroad systems, were told yesterday that the success of an eight-hour day would depend largely upon local conditions of the yards.

Charles H. Mottsett described the work of the Harlem yards of the New Haven Road, of which he was formerly in charge, where the eight-hour schedule is in effect. He said that the eight-hour day with three shifts of men was the best plan for the Harlem yards because there was no cessation of work there, cars being shifted every hour of the twenty-four. He did not think that two twelve-hour shifts would work as well as the present plan.

V. H. Hagelbarger, trainmaster for the Rock Island at Bureau, Ill., said that the yards over which he had control were on a ten-hour basis and that it would be impracticable to conduct the yards on an eight-hour basis. He said that switchmen under him usually received about $100 a month.

The hearing will be resumedi at 10:30 o'clock tomorrow morning in the rooms of the Chamber of Commerce.

NEW DEMURRAGE SCALE.

Commerce Commission Acts to Relieve Freight Car Shortage.

WASHINGTON, Nov. 29.—As an emergency measure to relieve the freight car shortage the Interstate Commerce Commission today authorized railroads to establish and maintain until May 1 next a new progressive demurrage scale higher than the present flat rate of $1 a day. The scale is a compromise between the proposed graduated schedule in the railroad tariffs recently suspended and the rates suggested by shippers.

Under the new scale two free days are allowed, and subsequent charges are $1 for the third, $2 for the fourth, $3 for the fifth day, and $5 for the sixth and each day thereafter. The rule that charges shall be suspended on days when weather prevents unloading and the so-called "average agreement" by which credit is allowed to shippers who unload in less than the two free days are retained.

Asks Dismissal of Railroads' Suits.

D. B. Lucey, United States District Attorney for the Northern District of New York, yesterday filed in the Federal District Court motions asking dismissal of the injunction suits against the eight-hour law brought by the New York Central Railroad and Erie Railroad. It is asserted that the complaints seek to enjoin the enforcement of a criminal statute and do not state facts sufficient to show that the prevention of prosecution thereunder is essential to safeguarding rights of property. It is further asserted that the suits have been brought against the United States without its consent; that the bills are without equity because the railroads have adequate remedy at law, and that the Adamson law is constitutional and valid and binding upon the railroads. For these reasons it is asked that the motions to dismiss be sustained.

Colorado Fuel & Iron Dividend.

DENVER, Nov. 29.—A dividend of 30 per cent. on the preferred stock of the Colorado Fuel and Iron Company was declared at a meeting of the Directors late today, payable Dec. 22 to stockholders of record Dec. 12.

STANDARD OIL QUOTATIONS.

	Yesterday. Bid.	Asked.	Tuesday. Bid.	Asked.
Anglo-American Oil	16¼	16¾	16½	17¼
Atlantic Refining	905	915	915	925
Borne-Scrymser	440	470	430	460
Buckeye Pipe Line	100	109	100	109
Chesebrough Mfg.	480	*500	490	510
Colonial Oil	60	70	50	70
Continental Oil	560	570	540	550
Crescent Pipe Line	41	43	41	43
Cumberland P. L.	113	*118	117	122
Eureka Pipe Line	225	235	225	235
Galena S. Oil pf.	140	145	140	145
Galena S. Oil	195	197	196	199
Ill nois Pipe Line	220	225	220	225
Indiana Pipe Line	113	116	112	115
Inter. Pet. Co., Ltd.	10¾	11¼	10¾	11¼
National Transit	18½	19½	18	*20
N. Y. Transit	230	240	225	235
Northern Pipe Line	113	117	115	118
Ohio Oil	378	378	375	380
Penn-Mex. Fuel Co.	62	66	63	68
Pierce Oil	15½	16	15¾	15¾
Pierce Oil cv. 6s, '24	84	86	84	86
Prairie Oil & Gas	565	570	565	570
Prairie Pipe Line	330	335	333	337
Solar Refining	390	400	395	405
Southern Pipe Line	215	220	215	220
South Penn Oil	510	520	515	525
South. West Penn.	110	115	110	115
Standard Oil of Cal.	362	386	365	370
Standard Oil of Ind.	830	840	830	840
Standard Oil of Kan.	545	555	545	550
Standard Oil of Ky.	675	700	675	700
Standard Oil of Nev.	575	585	575	585
Standard Oil of N. J.	675	685	680	685
Standard Oil of N. Y.	265	270	269	272
Standard Oil of Ohio	435	*445	440	445
Swan & Finch	135	145	135	145
Union Tank	97	100	98	100
Vacuum Oil	375	385	375	385
Washington Oil	42	47	42	47

*Ex dividend.

RAILWAY EQUIPMENT BONDS.

(The following are quoted on a percentage basis.)

Name.	Maturity.	Rate.	Bid.	Ask.
Balt. & Ohio	1916-'26	4 @4½	4.20	4.20
Buff., R. & Pitts.	1916-'30	4½@5	4.50	4.25
Can. Pacific	1916-'28	4½	4.55	4.30
Ches. & Ohio	1916-'26	4½	4.50	4.25
Chi. & N. W.	1916-'23	5	4.25	4.05
Chi., R. I. & P.	1916-'27	4½@5	5.00	4.50
C., St. L. & N. O.	1916-'24	5	4.45	4.25
C., C., C. & St. L.	1916-'29	5	4.60	4.40
Del. & Hudson	1916-'22	4½	4.25	4.12
Erie R. R.	1916-'26	4½@5	4.55	4.35
Grand Trunk	1916-'24	4½	5.00	4.50
Ill. Central	1916-'26	4½@5	4.30	4.15
Louis. & Nash.	1916-'23	5	4.30	4.10
Michigan Cent.	1916-'30	5	4.50	4.25
Mo., Kan. & T.	1916-'23	5	5.50	4.75
Mo. Pacific	1916-'22	5	5.50	4.75
Mobile & Ohio	1916-'24	4½@5	4.65	4.45
N. Y. C. Lines	1916-'28	4½@5	4.50	4.25
Norf. & Western	1916-'24	4½	4.30	4.05
N. Y., N. H. & H.	1916-'25	4½@6	4.50	4.30
Penn. Gen. Fd.	1916-'23	5 @4½	4.25	4.00
St. L., I. M. & S.	1916-'24	5	5.25	4.75
Seaboard A. L.	1916-'26	5	4.62	4.38
So. Pacific	1916-'26	4½	4.35	4.20
So. Railway	1916-'26	4½@5	4.50	4.35

OUTSIDE SECURITIES

Transactions in the outside security market yesterday amounted to 830,281 shares of stocks and $1,651,000 of bonds. The sales of the stocks were divided as follows: Industrials, 101,780; oils, 171,846, and mining, 556,655. The range of prices of all issues in which transactions were recorded was:

INDUSTRIALS.

Sales.		Open.	High.	Low.	Last.
2,000	‡Aetna Explos.	9⅝	10	9½	9½
1,400	‡Alli. T. & R. pf.	5	5½	5	5½
1,100	‡A. T. & R. pf.	8¼	8½	8¼	8½
300	Am. Sum. Tob. pf.	21	22½	21	22½
1,800	Am. Writ. Pa.	7⅛	7⅞	6¾	7⅛
100	A. O. S. Corp.	42	42	42	42
100	‡Bucier Chem.	⅜	⅜	⅜	⅜
500	‡B'worth Jud.	69	69	69	69
100	‡Coal. Packing	33½	33½	33½	33½
1,000	Can. Nat. Gas.	½	1	½	1
3,500	Carwen Steel.	16¼	16½	16¼	16½
200	‡Cent. Fdry.	1⅝	1⅝	1⅝	1⅝
500	‡Cent. Fdy. pf.	38	40½	38	40½
700	‡Chal. Mo. w.i.	35½	35½	34½	34½
100	Ch. I. of A. pf.	7¼	7¼	7¼	7¼
250	‡C.-F. Cp., w. i.	1⅝	1⅝	1⅝	1⅝
300	Cp. of R. & S.	5⅝	5⅝	5⅝	5⅝
200	Emer. Phono.	11	11	11	11
300	‡Hart Bell Co.	3⅝	3⅝	3⅝	3⅝
1,000	H. & B. Car.	46	46¾	45¾	46¾
600	Imp Carb. Ch.	½	½	½	½
1,000	Int. A. F. Sec.	23	24	23	23½
8,500	‡‡Jop. O.S.new.	45	49	45	49
3,000	‡Lake Tor. Bt.	11¾	12⅝	11⅝	11¾
30	Loft's Inc.	105	105	105	105
400	Mass. El. S. pf.	94¾	95¼	94⅝	95¼
1,500	Marlin Arms, v. t. ctfs.	44	50	39	48
200	‡M. Pet. E. Co.	20	20	20	20
12,000	‡Mid. Steel.	(69½-¾)	70¼	68¾	68¾
1,900	‡Mitchell Mot.	57¾	57¾	57	57
600	‡Natl. A. Corp.	39	39	38	38
10,000	N. Am. P. & P.	13	14⅛	13	14⅛
25	‡P. E. & M. Co.	100	100	100	100
10,000	‡R. I., w. i.	38	41½	38	40¾
1,300	‡R. I. pf. (A).	91¼	94¼	91¼	94¼
500	‡R. I. pf. (B).	78	79	76½	78¾
1,700	‡Smith M. T.	6	6¼	6	6¼
100	Spg. Body Co.	89	90	89	90
100	S. B. Co. pf.	130	130	130	130
2,000	‡Steel A. Cs.	3¼	3½	3¼	3⅜
3,100	‡Stud. t. Co.	41	41	41	41½
200	‡Todd Ship.	91	92	91	92
500	‡T. W. S. F.	45½	45½	45	45½
2,800	‡F. W. t. ctfs.	3¼	3¼	3⅛	3⅛
550	‡Un. Dyewood.	69	69	68¼	68¾
25	Un. Dye. pf.	100	101	100	101
1,600	U. S. S. Co.	7½	7⅝	7½	7⅝
3,000	‡Un. Motors.	61¼	61¾	59⅞	60⅛
8,000	‡Un. A. S. Cp.	52⅝	54	52⅝	52⅝
100	United Zinc.	5½	5½	5½	5½
1,400	‡W. & L. E., w. i.	17½	18	17½	18
100	‡W. P. w. i.	57	57	57	57
1,000	W. F. C., w. i.	1	1⅛	1	1⅛
4,000	‡W.-M. A. Cp.	24½	25¼	24½	25¼
500	‡Zinc Con. Co.	4¼	4¼	4¼	4¼

STANDARD OIL SUBSIDIARIES.

	High.	Low.	Last.	Net Ch'g.
15 Illinois P. L.	222	222	222	—
31 N. Y. Transit.	234	232	234	+19

OTHER OIL STOCKS.

	Open.	High.	Low.	Last.
750 ‡Bar. O. & G.	3	3½	3	3
1,900 Con. Mex. Oil (a prod.)	1¼	1½	1¼	1½
1,500 ‡Coaden & Co. (Oil Ref.)	17	17¼	16¾	17¼
5,000 ‡Cos. O. & G.	13½	14	13½	13⅞
40,000 ‡Federal Oil	4⅝	5⅜	4⅝	4⅝
1,500 ‡Houston Oil	23½	23½	22½	23
3,500 K. O. (a pros.)	⅞	⅞	⅞	⅞
300 Metro. Pet.	9¾	9¾	9	9
2,500 ‡‡Midwest Oil	44	44	42	43
1,100 ‡‡N. Y. O. & R.	1	1	1	1
12,500 ‡Okla. Oil	10	11	*9½	11
2,800 ‡Okla. Oil, pf.	1¼	1⅜	1¼	1⅜
3,500 Okla. P. & R.	10⅝	11	10⅝	10⅝
2,000 ‡Omar O. & G.	50	55	50	55
950 ‡Sap. O. & R.	10⅜	11	10½	11
4,300 Seq. O. & R.	1½	1⅝	1½	1⅝
5,000 ‡Sinclair Oil	57½	60	57	60
600 ‡South O. & T.	8¾	8¾	8¾	8¾
800 ‡Un. W. Oil	⅞	1	⅞	⅞
8,000 ‡Utah Pet. Co. (a pros.)	57	60	57	60
43,000 Vac. O. & G.	½	1⅛	1⅛	1⅛
2,400 ‡Victoria Oil	1¾	1¾	1¾	1¾
900 Way. O. & G.	4¾	4¾	4½	4¾
26,000 ‡‡W. E. O. & G.	48	50	47	48
1,000 ‡Wyom. Pet.	2⅜	2⅜	2⅛	2⅛

MINING STOCKS.

5,000	Ala.-Br. Co. Met. (pros.)	1⅜	1⅜	1¼	1¼
8,360	†Alaska Mines	91	92	90	91
700	†‡Alaska-W.	50	50	50	50
10,000	†‡Am. Com'r.	8½	9	8½	9
1,000	†‡Ark. Arizona	¾	¾	¾	¾
6,300	†‡Ariz. Com.	48	52	48	50
8,000	†‡Ariz. Copfds.	1¼	1⅜	1¼	1⅜
8,000	†‡Atlanta	7½	8	7½	7½
200	Barnes K. D.	1⅞	1⅞	1⅞	1⅞
6,300	Big Jim	1½	1⅝	1½	1½
2,100	Big Ledge C.	7⅜	7⅜	6¾	7
3,600	‡Bisbee Copper (a prospect)	1¼	1⅛	1⅛	1¼
3,200	‡Bitter Creek C. (a pros.)	⅜	⅜	⅜	⅜
1,000	‡‡Booth	8	8	7	7½
4,500	Bos. & Mon.	75	75	75	75
7,000	Butte C. & Z. v. t. ctfs.	15⅞	17⅛	15⅝	16½
7,200	Butte Detroit	1⅛	1⅛	1⅛	1⅛
400	Butte-N. Y.	2¼	2¼	2	2⅛
700	†Cal. Tread'w'l	77	77	77	77
400	‡Calaveras C.	5⅜	5⅜	5⅜	5⅜
2,500	†Caledonia	47	48	47	48
5,400	‡Cal. & Jer.	3½	3½	3	3⅜
2,500	Canada Copper	2⅛	2⅛	2⅛	2⅛
2,000	‡Cashboy	6	6	5¾	5¾
2,000	C. de F. Cop.	42⅞	45¼	42	43
11,000	Cons. Ar. Sm.	2⅞	2⅞	2⅜	2⅜
1,000	Consol. Copper Mines	3⅜	3⅜	3⅜	3⅜
1,000	‡Consolidated-Homestead	1⅜	1⅜	1¼	1⅜
9,000	Cres. Con. Gld	8½	8½	8½	8½
420	Dundee-Arlz. Cop. (a pr.)	1⅞	2¼	1⅞	2¼
10,404	‡Emma Cons.	2⅜	2⅝	2¼	2¼
50	First Nat. Cop.	4½	4½	4½	4½
1,500	‡Gilpin-Eureka Mines	58	57	58	54
3,700	†Goldfld Cons.	50	50	48	49
5,000	‡‡Goldfld Mer.	5½	6	5½	6
8,700	‡‡Grand Canyn Gold	12	13	12	13
7,000	‡Gr'nm'str Min.	3½	4	3½	3⅞
1,250	Hecla Mining	8⅞	8⅞	8⅝	8¾
3,500	Hess Sound.	7⅝	8¼	7½	8⅛
7,000	Independ. Lead	18	19	17½	17⅞
19,500	Inspir. Needles Cop. (a pr.)	1	1	1	1
700	Iron Blossom	1⅞	1½	1⅞	1½
30,000	Jerome Verde (a pros.)	1¼	1½	1¼	1½
500	‡‡Jim Butler	96	96	96	96
2,500	‡Jumbo Ext.	25	28	25	28
500	††Kewanas	11	11	11	11
3,000	Loma Prieta M. C. (a pr.)	1⅜	1⅜	1⅜	1⅜
1,600	La Rose	⅞	⅞	⅞	⅞
4,000	Louisiana Con.	87	90	87	90
1,200	Magma Copper	54½	56	54½	54½
12,700	‡‡Marsh Min.	13	13	12	13
1,640	Marysville Gld Min. Co.	1⅞	1⅞	1⅞	1⅞
3,500	Mason Valley	6¾	7½	6¾	7⅛
800	†McKin. Dar.	60	60	58	60
3,000	Miami Con. (a pros.)	52	52	50	50
8,010	†Mich. Gold M.	68	68	68	66
300	†Moj. Tung.	2⅞	3	2⅞	3
2,000	Monitor Silver	1⅞	1⅞	1⅞	1⅞
49,000	‡Monster Chief	⅞	⅞	⅞	⅞
500	‡Mont. G. M.	89	89	89	89
6,000	††Mother Lode	36	37	36	36½
6,500	††N. Hanks M.	93	93	93	93
8,000	‡Newray M.	1⅛	1⅛	1⅛	1⅛
300	N. U. Bing.	½	½	½	½
5,000	‡Ohio Copper.	½	½	½	½
2,200	‡Ohio Copper, w. i.	1⅝	1⅝	1⅝	1⅝
7,500	††Old Em. L.	62	65	60	65
500	††Peer. Jennie	75	75	75	75
1,000	††Pitta.-Idaho	1½	1½	1⅜	1½
3,000	Pitts. Jer. Cop. (a pros.)	1¼	1¼	1½	1½
5,500	Progress Min. & Milling	1⅛	1⅛	1⅛	1⅛
1,400	†Ray Herc. M.	5⅝	5⅝	5⅝	5⅝
18,000	††Rex Con.	66	68	68	67
9,000	††Roch. Mines.	72	73	72	73
100	††Round Mtn.	36	36	36	36
4,000	‡Sac. Val. C.	1¾	1¾	1¾	1¾
5,500	†San Toy	18½	19½	18½	19
900	‡Santa Rita D.	1½	1½	1	1½
1,500	‡Scratch Grav. Gold Min.	⅝	1	⅝	⅝
100	‡Sec. Thirty	14	14	14	14
3,500	Silver King of Arizona	⅞	1	⅞	⅞
4,000	Silver King C. of Utah	4½	4¾	4½	4¾
6,000	††Silver Pick	33	34	33	33
350	St. Sil.-Lead.	1⅜	1⅜	1⅜	1⅜
5,100	††St. N. Zinc	⅞	⅞	⅞	⅞
4,500	††Success Min.	58	58	50	57
16,500	T. Burns G. pf.	89	92	89	90
250	‡Ton. Belmont	5½	5½	5½	5½
4,600	††Teck Hughes	56	56	55	55
2,000	Tonolumne	1½	1½	1½	1½
5,000	Tonopah Ext.	4⅛	4⅛	4⅛	4⅛
100	Ton. Mining	6¼	6¼	6¼	6¼
28,000	††Troy-Ariz	73	80	70	80
780	Un. Eastern	4¾	4¾	4¾	4¾
24,500	U. M. of Ariz.	97	97	97	1½
10,000	††U. S. C. Mine	13	15½	15	15½
8,000	‡U. V. C. Co	1⅛	1⅛	1	1
3,200	‡U. Verde Ext.	41⅛	41⅛	41	41
300	U. G. Mines Co	4½	4½	4½	4⅝
5,325	‡Velvet C. Co.	1⅜	2⅛	1⅜	2⅛
1,500	‡West End C.	72	74	72	73
4,000	‡Wets. Silver	13	13	13	13
3,200	W. C. M. Co.	36	38	36	37
1,800	‡White C. Cop.	1¼	⅞	1¼	⅞
1,000	W. Oaks Min.	4¼	4¼	4¼	4¼
12,500	‡Yerington M. C.	37	37	34	35
400	‡Yuscaran Con.	⅞	⅞	⅞	⅞

BONDS.

$100,000	‡Am. Tel. & T. new. 5s.	98⅛	98⅝	98¼	98⅝
1,000	Con. A. S. 5s	62	62	62	62
750,000	†F. Mun. 6s.	97⅝	97⅝	97	97⅝
25,000	‡Mid. St. 5s.	98½	98¼	98	98
25,000	‡R. Gv. 6½s.	100	100	100	100
50,000	‡R. G. W. 5½s.	94½	94½	94½	94½
250,000	‡Stn. Ol 6s.	106½	107⅝	106½	107⅛
250,000	‡U. K. G. B. & I. 5-y. 5½s	98	98¼	98	98
200,000	‡U. K. G. B. & I. 3-y. 5½s	98⅝	98⅝	98¾	98⅝

*Odd lots. †Sells cents per share. ‡Unlisted. Note.—Tuesday 500 Inspiration Needles sold at 1⅛, and Nov. 24 Falls Motors 20 at 11.

INDUSTRIALS.

Bid and asked quotations of stocks not traded in compared with those of previous day:

	Yesterday. Bid.	Asked.	Tuesday. Bid.	Asked.
Amer. Drug Syn.	12¾	13½	12¾	13⅝
Amer. Int. Corp.	58	60	58	60
Amer. Sum. Tob. pf.	75	80	77	80
Brit.-Am. Tob. Ord.	20	21	20	21
Chevrolet Motor	172	176	172	176
Charcoal Iron	8	8½	7⅞	8
Car Light & Power	3¾	4¼	3¾	4¼
Fall Motors	11	12	11	12
Fisk Rub. cv. 1st pf.	104	105	104	105
General Motors	150	155	150	153
General Motors pf.	89	91	89	91
Grant Motor Car	8½	9	8½	9
Holly Sugar	57	59	57	59
Holly Sugar pf.	101	103	101	103
Keystone T. & R. pf.	15½	16	15½	16
Inter. Cont. Rubber	15	15½	15	15½
Kathodin Bronze pf.	8	9	8	9
Lehigh V. Coal Sales	93	98	93	98
Motor Products	56	58	56	58
Man. Elec. Supply	35	36	36	37
Martin Arms pf.	100	103	100	103
Maxim Munitions	6	6¼	5¾	6¼
Marconi of America	3¼	3⅜	3¼	3⅜
N. Y. Transportation	14¾	15¼	14¾	15¼
Pugh Stores Corp.	10	10¼	10	10¼
Republic Motor Truck	66	69	66	69
Spicer Mfg. pf.	101	102	101	102
Spicer Mfg.	46⅝	47¼	46⅝	47¼
Seaboard Steel & M.	29	30	29	30
St. Joseph Lead	21¼	21¾	21¼	21½
U. S. Light & Heat	2¼	2⅜	2¼	2⅜
United Profit Sharing	¾	1	¾	1
Wright-Martin pf.	73½	75	74	76

OIL STOCKS.

Oil & Exploration	¾	¾	¾	¾
Pierce Oil	15¼	16	15¼	15¾
Savoy Oil	12	12½	12	12½
Tidewater	185	190	185	190

MINING STOCKS.

Bingham Mining	10⅜	11¼	10⅜	11¼

BOND.

Pierce Oil 6s	84	86	84	86

MUNITIONS STOCKS.

	Yesterday. Bid.	Asked.	Tuesday. Bid.	Asked.
Aetna Explosives pf.	50	55	55	60
American Brass	390	405	400	405
Atlas Powder	182	185	180	185
Atlas Powder pf.	99½	101	99½	101
Babcock & Wilcox	124	127	124	127
Bliss (E. W.)	740	750	740	750
Bliss (E. W.) pf.	75	83	78	84
Can. Pfg. & Forging	205	215	208	210
Canada Explosives	380	480	380	460
Can. Explosives pf.	100	110	100	110
Colt's Arms	900	920	900	925
Du Pont Pow., new	296	300	294	298
Du Pont Powder deb.	103	105	103	105
Hercules Powder	375	382	375	380
Hercules Powder pf.	116	119	115	118
International Arms	200	205	200	208
Niles-Bement-Pond	200	205	200	208
Niles-Bement-P. pf.	105	108	105	108
Scovill Mfg. Co.	835	845	835	845
Win. Rptg. Arms	1200	1500	1200	1250

Sugar Stocks

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RESERVE BOARD ACTION SURPRISES LONDON

It Is Felt There That As Good Customers of America the Allies Can Expect Accommodation.

LONDON, Thursday, Nov. 30.—Financial circles in London were surprised yesterday by the warning sent out by the American Federal Reserve Board cautioning banks not to invest their liquid assets too heavily in the British Treasury notes about to be offered in the American market, and at the first impression it was a disagreeable surprise. Leading financiers declined to comment on the warning, at least until they had given it further consideration. The general feeling among business men here is that the Entente Allies are such good customers of the United States that they reasonably can expect all possible accommodation in methods of payment, and also that Great Britain's financial standing remains so high that all classes of Government securities should be accepted in America, even under the present circumstances, about as readily as American securities would be taken here.

There has been a certain amount of criticism both in Parliament and by financial writers of the Government's policy in meeting obligations by large issues of Treasury bills, but the criticism was based on the argument that the Government was paying a higher rate of interest than the standing of its credit necessitated, and that large issues of Treasury bills tended to depreciate the prices of other securities.

Commenting on the proposal to offer the British Treasury notes on the New York market the financial editor of The Evening Standard yesterday said:

"We sincerely trust that the advisers of the Treasury have not consented to the proposal to raise money in New York on short-d

COTTON GAIN SLIGHT IN FICKLE MARKET

Net Rise of 6-8 Points, with Volume of Trading Restricted by Holiday Spirit.

TRADE AWAITS GILES REPORT

Estimate Due Tomorrow Said to Place the Crop at 11,333,000 Bales, Exclusive of Linters.

Although cotton was less active yesterday, with a narrower range of fluctuations, price changes were accompanied with the extreme of irregularity, and the tone was somewhat unsettled. In the early trading, a fairly good undertone was displayed, with the market working up nearly 30 points over Tuesday's closing. In the late afternoon a sharp break of about 30 points took place, and this was followed by a rally which left quotations 6 to 8 points net higher.

The volume of trading was somewhat restricted by the holiday spirit. Bulls showed the utmost confidence, however, and are placing a good deal of reliance on the favorable news from Southern spot markets.

The present ginning period closes with today. Preliminary returns to the National Ginners' Association indicate a ginning of only 635,000 bales for the latter half of November. The estimate of Miss K. M. Giles is to be published tomorrow. Rumors in circulation earlier in the week were that the report would place the crop at 11,333,000 bales, exclusive of linters.

The recent unsettled state of the cotton market has failed to influence values in the cotton goods market. Trade in this quarter has been less active on account of the approach of the Thanksgiving holiday, but the undertone is quite firm. Preliminary reports on the profits made by jobbing houses in the last six months indicate the most remarkable returns in the history of American merchandising, according to The Journal of Commerce.

Theodore H. Price, in this week's issue of Commerce and Finance, says that the cotton still appears to be in the zone of imagination and driven about by gusts of speculative sentiment. He adds: "The stage has been reached on which the action or caprice of this, that, or the other person has more weight than economic facts."

Among the estimates published yesterday was that of the Board of Trade of Helena, Ark., placing the crop at 11,242,000 bales, exclusive of linters. Market closed very steady.

	Open.	High.	Low.	Close.	Prev. Close.
Dec.	20.20	20.42	20.14	20.20	bid 20.10@20.11
Jan.	20.36	20.58	20.29	20.39@20.41	bid 20.31@20.32
Mar.	20.53	20.81	20.51	20.58@20.61	20.52@20.54
May	20.74	21.00	20.73	20.80@20.82	20.72@20.73
July	20.78	20.99	20.70	20.79@20.80	20.71@20.74
Oct.	20.62	20.80	20.60	20.64@20.65	20.62@20.63

The local market for spot cotton was steady, at 10 points advance; middling, at 20.45c. Southern spot markets as officially reported were steady, unchanged, to 13 points down. New Orleans, 20.25c; Galveston, 20.66c; Savannah, 20.50c; Memphis, 20.50c; Augusta, 20.25c; Houston, 20.30c. New Orleans market closed steady.

	Open.	High.	Low.	Close.	Prev. Close.
Dec.	19.83	19.95	19.74	19.74	bid 19.72@19.73
Jan.	19.88	20.14	19.84	19.94@19.96	19.85@19.87
Mar.	20.13	20.42	20.13	20.24@20.25	20.15@20.16
May	20.36	20.64	20.36	20.45@20.46	20.35@20.37
July	20.47	20.74	20.47	20.55@20.57	20.45@20.47
Oct.	18.32	18.53	18.32	18.41@18.43	18.34 bid

The Liverpool market opened quiet. There was a fair business in spot cotton, with middling 53 points down, at 12.08d. Sales 8,000. Closed steady.

	Open.	High.	Low.	Last.	Close.	Prev. Close.
Jan.-Feb.		12.06	12.06	11.97	12.17	12.18
Mar.-Apr.		12.18	12.30	12.08	12.30	12.31
May-June		12.29	12.42	12.18	12.42	12.43
July-Aug.		12.28	12.42	12.18	12.42	12.41
Oct.-Nov.		11.20	11.36	11.14	11.40	11.31

The 11 A. M. bids to Liverpool were: January, 20.48c; March, 20.70c; May, 20.92c; July, 20.96c. The market there was due to open today 4½ to 5 points lower.

PORT RECEIPTS AND STOCKS.

	Re'pts. Today.	Last yr.	Stocks.	Last yr.
Galveston	10,716	1,028	389,815	289,508
New Orleans	12,447	4,846	477,469	346,423
Mobile	1,547	566	16,569	25,704
Savannah	6,703	2,911	201,335	212,505
Charleston	1,352	646	78,191	89,847
Wilmington	190	978	37,027	43,031
Norfolk	5,361	2,138	88,297	106,866

INTERIOR RECEIPTS AND STOCKS.

Augusta	1,595	1,344	139,325	190,178
Memphis	7,539	6,794	221,692	291,300
St. Louis	516	4,174	23,223	14,603
Houston	14,895	10,639	281,047	199,204

ESTIMATED RECEIPTS.

	Today.	Last wk.	Last yr.
Galveston	13,000	to 14,000	12,993	10,377
New Orleans	6,000	to 8,000	6,786	6,445

Exports yesterday were 22,948 bales; total thus far for this season, 2,383,750 bales; total last season, 1,822,826 bales.

NEW INCORPORATIONS

Special to The New York Times.

ALBANY, N. Y., Nov. 29.—Forty-five corporations, having aggregate capitalization of $8,147,500, were chartered today. They included:

New York Shipbuilding Corp., 200,000 shares capital stock, no par value, begin business with $1,000,000, tax paid, $10,000; H. H. Wehrhane, J. P. Grace, W. S. Kies, G. K. Baldwin, 120 Broadway.

Bethlehem Motors Corp., motors, engines, machinery, cars, boats, vehicles, 10,000 shares, $100 each, 50,000 shares no par value, carry on business with $1,250,000; A. T. Murray, D. G. Dery, M. E. Kern, Allentown, Penn.

Lams Holding Co., Inc., Queens, realty, agency, brokerage, managerial, $150,000; M. Mager, J. Minck, G. Staub, 35 Halsey St., Brooklyn.

Foster Advertising Co., Inc., advertising, newspaper, magazine agency, $98,000; K. H. Fulton, D. G. Ross, B. Link, 511 5th Av.

Passaic Leather Co., Inc., leather, lumber, belting, $100,000; H. L. Knapp, L. H. Healy, J. F. O'Neil, Boonton, N. J.

Motor Development Corp., developing, promoting, financing taxicab companies, 600 shares $100 each, 600 shares no par value, carry on business with $63,500; N. R. Green, G. E. Moesel, G. B. Covington, 60 Wall St.

American B. H. P. Aero Engine Corp., engines, motors, machinery, aeroplanes, autos, 10,000 shares of no par value, carry on business with $25,000; G. L. Strong, J. S. Fiske, D. Bailey, 135 Broadway.

Merrimac Lumber Co., Inc., Salamanca, lumber, metals, fuel, minerals, develop timber properties, $50,000; J. B. McCabe, J. A. Smith, F. Morrison, Warren, Penn.

Peene's Wharf Corp., Yonkers, realty, $36,000; L. G. and J. Peene, Jr., 126 Warburton Av., Yonkers.

Haverling Builders, Inc., Syracuse, realty, $30,000; C. S. Congdon, E. P. Tanner, G. K. Bartlett, Syracuse.

West Islip Realty Co., Inc., West Islip, realty, builders, dredgers, contractors, $30,000; A. Wagstaff, E. Thorne, R. H. McCurdy, 24 Nassau St., Manhattan.

J. Ramos Co., Inc., merchandise, commodities, $25,000; P. and J. Rueff, J. Ramos, Ocean and Channel Avs., Queens.

Gilbanks, Inc., horticultural, $15,000; G. A. Reiss, A. B. Duryea, W. F. McDermott, 165 Broadway.

Kleet Mfg. Co., Inc., scientific, surgical electro-therapeutic appliances, apparatus, $25,000; J. Warner, G. J. L. and C. M. Sorensen, 177 East 87 St.

Herman Reach & Co., Inc., burlap, cotton bagging, $15,000; C. E. Watt, W. N. Wilkinson, H. Reach, Metropole Hotel, Chicago, Ill.

Cecil & Co., Inc., ladies', misses', children's hats, $10,000; D. D. Worsky, D. Hechtmann, J. Gordon, 790 Riverside Drive.

Orange Color and Chemical Mfg. Co., Inc., colors, chemicals, $10,000; B. Klinger, I. S. Kuca, D. R. Bernstein, 941 Faile St.

Joseph Hyman & Co., Inc., ladies' garments, $10,000; H. M. Weinstein, J. F. Corn, J. Hyman, 8,813 15 Av., Brooklyn.

Ivy Company, Inc., motors, engines, machinery, cars, boats, vehicles, appliances, $18,000; R. T. Sadler, W. J. Foster, J. H. Mancor, 20 Pierrepont St., Brooklyn.

Ritchie Laundry Co., Inc., Schenectady, launch room, $8,000; S. G. Ritchie, P. A. and M. E. Amyot, 1 Forest Av., Cohoes.

J. Boesch & Sons, Inc., Bronx, embroideries, laces, fabrics, $10,000; C. T. and E. Boesch, 2,812 Dudley Av., Bronx.

Kesper & Co., Inc., jewelry, $20,000; D. Weisburger, C. H. Emerson, C. W. Korper, 207 W. 25 St.

G. M. Pearson & Co., Inc., realty, agency, brokerage, $7,500; L. C. Lockhart, C. C. Wippman, G. M. Pearson, 23 St. Nicholas Terrace.

Harmony Gift Shop, Inc., furniture, rugs, carpets, pictures, bronzes, $5,000; J. Tramutole, W. F. McCumiskey, L. Evardy, 135 Cherry St.

Apollo Pictures, Inc., motion pictures, photographing, printing, publishing, 100 shares no par value, carry on business with $5,000; V. C. Bogardus, H. L. Raver, H. H. Waller, 140 Nassau St.

Big Four Motors Corporation, Richmond, autos, motor vehicles, boats, aircraft, $5,000; L. Kazeman, H. W. and E. W. Boyle, 157 Myrtle Av., West New Brighton.

The E. Marshall Syndicate, Inc., news distributing agency, 600 shares no par value, begin business with $3,000; K. E. Walber, G. R. Kenyon, R. Leroy, 106 E. 75 St.

Humantone Talking Machine Corporation, Brooklyn, talking machines, phonographs, furniture novelties, $10,000; L. Weil, L. M. Joseph, J. Levinson, 668 Prospect Park, Brooklyn.

Clinton Avenue Realty Co., Inc., Bronx, $10,000; F. Behm, J. H. Davidson, A. Erdman, 166 St. and 3 Av., Bronx.

Kostukost Films, Inc., Eddyville, motion picture films, equipment, operate exchanges, 100 shares of no par value, begin business with $500; E. W. Hammons, H. Grossman, S. A. Anderson, 25 Nassau St.

Elton Embroidery Works, Inc., Brooklyn, laces, embroidery, selling business, $5,000; A. M. and J. Koppel, 954 Second Av.

Aero Hat, Inc., ladies' hats, $5,000; H. Fisher, A. and H. Weiss, 539 Elton St., Brooklyn.

Shientag & Stone, Inc., tailoring, $5,000; S. D. and J. Shientag, 1,956 Bathgate Av., Bronx.

Emporium Dress Co., Inc., ladies', misses' dresses, waists, $5,000; S. T. Feldstein, W. Wenger, B. Feis, 1,883 Southern Boulevard.

302 Central Park West, Inc., realty, $5,000; A. Bargende, J. E. Goldberg, L. Kramer, 314 West 100th St.

Authorizations: Western Felt Works, Inc., of West Virginia State, principal office in Monadnock Bldg., Chicago, Ill., to felt and analagous articles, $2,000. Representative Frank J. Dearden, 28 W. 15th St., Manhattan.

Lincoln Correspondence Schools, Inc., Dover, Del., instruction papers, textbooks, disseminating of literary, technical educational, other information, $150,000. Representative, M. C. Ritter, 111 Fifth Av., New York.

Capital Increases: London Button Co., Inc., New York, $5,000 to $50,000; Friedman & Rosen, Inc., New York, $20,000 to $50,000; Jarrett-Chambers Co., Inc., New York, $50,000 to $200,000; European and Far Eastern Sales Co., Inc., Manhattan, $80,000 to $100,000.

Capital reduction: Castile, $50,000 to $10,000.

Voluntary dissolutions: George E. Smith Co., Amsterdam; George F. Hinrichs & Co., Inc., Yonkers.

New Jersey Charters.

Special to The New York Times.

TRENTON, N. J., Nov. 29.—Charters filed:

Keystone Dyestuff and Chemical Co., Newark, manufacture and deal in dyes, acids, chemicals, and colors, $300,000; Edward J. Fuchs, Henry C. Beecher, Newark; Charles J. Justler, Woodhaven, L. I.

Sandall Candy Co., Newark, manufacture and deal in candy, ice cream, nuts, flavoring extracts, &c., $25,000; M. E. Sandall, M. Eugene Dundall, Florence E. Sandall, George C. Helnick, Newark; Elva L. Conroe, New York.

Pershine Avenue Land Co., Newark, real estate and development, $10,000; Theodore McMarsh, F. Cecil Speir, South Orange; Edith Radns, Irvington.

Crisis Picture Corporation, Newark, manufacture, develop, distribute, and exchange theatrical films, $2,000; Albert E. Gurge, George J. Walton, New York; Thomas A. McManus, Brooklyn.

Colville & Co., Bayonne, deal in life, fire, and casualty insurance, $20,000; Hugh C. Colville, Joseph C. Appel, Henry Lindsay, R. Lewis Kennedy, Bayonne.

Black and White Taxi Co., Newark, deal generally in autos and accessories, $10,000; Frank A. Boettner, Robert J. Boettner, Fred J. Boettner, Newark.

Fred W. Hoffman & Co., Inc., West Hoboken, manufacture toilet articles, drugs, and chemicals, $3,000; Louise S. Suhr, Fred C. Thiele, Fred W. Hoffman, West Hoboken.

Delaware Charter.

Special to The New York Times.

DOVER, Del., Nov. 29.—Charter filed:

Mars Paper Corp., New York, manufacture paper and paper products of all kinds, $100,000; Arthur W. Britton, Samuel B. Howard, L. H. Gunther, all of New York.

PLEA FOR RED CROSS WORK.

Brooklyn Chapter Urged to Prepare for Any Service.

Eliot Wadsworth, newly-elected Executive Chairman of the American Red Cross, said at a rally of the Brooklyn Chapter, at the Brooklyn Academy of Music last night, that one of the benefits this country would get from the war in Europe would be a Red Cross that would be more able to cope with any demand that might be made upon it. He reviewed the development of the Red Cross in Europe, and remarked:

"How helpless we would have been at Brownsville if 7,000 or 8,000 men had been hurt."

He said the American Red Cross had spent about $3,500,000 in relief work in Europe, and referred to the work of the Newport Chapter in caring for the survivors of the Stephano, sunk by the U-53, as an example of what the Red Cross could do in civilian relief. He urged the members of the Brooklyn Chapter to redouble their efforts, and assured them that the years to come would bring them gratification for whatever they might do.

Medical Director George A. Lung, U. S. N., of the Brooklyn Navy Yard, praised the work of the Red Cross, and the Rev. S. Parkes Cadman, Chaplain of the Twenty-third Regiment, told of the work on the Mexican border.

RETURNS A HARRIMAN GEM.

Mme. Blum Brings Diamond She Bought from Dealer.

The large diamond from the platinum pendant of Mrs. E. H. Harriman, the only missing stone of the collection stolen several months ago, was returned to the Harriman representatives yesterday by Madame J. Blum, a wealthy French woman, who voluntary came to the city with Lieutenant of Detectives John Royle from her villa in Edwina, Buck County, Penn. She explained that she had purchased the stone in New York because it matched a collection of her own, not knowing that it was stolen property.

Mme. Blum told the police that she expected the jeweler from whom she purchased it to reimburse her.

FINDS FOR MRS. BARNET.

Ex-Judge George C. Holt Files Report In Divorce Suit.

Ex-Judge George C. Holt of the United States District Court, who was appointed Referee to hear the divorce suit brought by Mrs. Charline Daly Barnet, daughter of Vice President Charles F. Daly of the New York Central Railroad, against Willard R. Barnet, has filed his report finding Mr. Barnet guilty of misconduct with several women.

Counsel for Barnet defended the case vigorously and filed yesterday, in the office of County Clerk Schneider, exceptions to the Referee's conclusions.

State Court of Appeals.

Special to The New York Times.

ALBANY, N. Y., Nov. 29.—In recess until Monday.

MECHANICS' LIENS.

Manhattan.

BROADWAY, 1,741; H. W. Bell Co. against Jane E. Faltoute and Caroline M. Taylor, owners; Frank Seery, contractor.....$21

2D AV, 2,235; Tully Goldreyer against estate of E. D. Farrell, owner; Frank Seery, contractor.....$670

2D AV, 2,235; Theodore C. Wood against estate of E. D. Farrell et al., owners; Frank Seery, contractor.....$207

5TH AV, 673; George H. Storm et al. against Adelaide McA. Pyle, owner; E. A. Carpenter, contractor.....$378

8TH AV, 810; Tully Goldreyer against Andrew Murphy, owner and contractor..$1,096

8TH AV, 810; Church E. Gates & Co., Inc., against Andrew Murphy, owner; Frank Seery, contractor.....$587

45TH ST, 215 West; Church E. Gates & Co., Inc., against John Doe, owner; Frank Seery, contractor.....$375

107TH ST, 125 West; Thomas A. Reilly Co. against John T. Fenlon, owner and contractor.....$2,467

87TH ST, 267 and 269 West; H. W. Bell Co. against Estate of James Rozell, Inc., et al., owners; Frank Seery, contractor..$786

87TH ST, 267 and 269 West; Toni Siracusa against Estate of James Rozell, Inc., owner; Charles Rozell Co., Inc., contractor...$1,347

144TH ST, 29 to 24 West; H. W. Bell Co. against James McLaughlin, owner; Frank Seery, contractor.....$53

144TH ST, 20 to 24 West; Henry Maurer & Son against James McLaughlin, owner; Frank Seery, contractor.....$50

144TH ST, 20 to 24 West; Church E. Gates & Co., Inc., against James McLaughlin, owner; Frank Seery, contractor.....$782

Bronx.

165TH ST, n w c er of Bryant Av, 100x110; Benjamin Sonberg against Ronele Construction Co., Inc., owner and contractor.....$37.40

MAYOR AND WILSON TO DISCUSS STRIKE

After Carmen See Mitchel, He Tells of Conference to be Held Saturday.

EFFECTS ARE STILL SEEN

Lawyer for New York Railways Admits That Even with More Men Service Is Impaired.

President Wilson and Mayor Mitchel will probably discuss on Saturday the case of the striking carmen of New York City, when the President arrives here. A delegation of the strikers, headed by William B. Fitzgerald, General Organizer of of the union, called on the Mayor yesterday. After they left the Mayor made this statement:

"They told me they had a talk with President Wilson at the White House on Monday and got the impression that he would like to talk over the matter with me. I told them I would se the President on Saturday night and, of course, if the President wished to talk over the matter I would be glad to talk with him about it."

The Mayor added that he preferred not to discuss the situation in detail before he saw President Wilson. It is understood that the strikers made their appeal to the President on the ground that the principle of the eight-hour day was involved in their demands upon the New York transit companies.

As indicating that so far as the surface lines are concerned the effects of the strike have been serious, James L. Quackenbush, head of the legal department of the New York Railways Company, said yesterday that to replace the 2,799 men who struck on September 6, the company had hired 8,250 motormen and conductors. Of this number 4,472 have been discharged for inefficiency or other reasons. There are now employed 3,778 men to do the work done by 3,410 men before the strike and, Mr. Quackenbush admitted, the service was not normal. The company's records show that about 800 of those who went on strike have returned, leaving approximately 2,000 still on strike. Such men as are returning are being taken back without great penalties. It had been announced that strikers would forfeit their seniority rights, but the rule was changed so that those who have for instance, a five-year term to their credit, may regain their standing after working six months.

FEWER SUICIDES LAST YEAR.

Average 20.3 Per 100,000, Against 20.7 in 1914 and 21.6 in 1908.

The Spectator, an insurance paper of this city, publishes today an article entitled "The Suicide Record for 1915," which discloses, among many other statistics having to do with self-murder, that the suicide rate in this country was still high, though a little lower than in 1914, and apparently more or less stationary. The number of suicides per 100,000 of population in 10? cities in 1915 was 20.3, as against 20.7 for 1914 and 21.6 for 1908, the year after the financial panic of 1907, and the highest average ever recorded in this country.

An effort to show relation between business failures and suicide failed. There was a higher average of suicide on the Pacific Coast, with a correspondingly higher average of business failures, but the East, with the lowest average of suicide, does not show the lowest average of business failures, this record going to the Middle West.

A consideration of the records by sex shows that the male suicide rate per 100,000 of population was 24.1, and that for females only 7.7. The maximum rate of suicidal frequency is attained among men between 55 and 64 years of age, and among women between the same years, but the actual distribution of suicides by age is indicated by a maximum of 21.5 per cent. of the total at ages of 45 to 54 for men and of 24.2 per cent. at ages of 25 to 34 for women.

The favorite method of self-destruction among men is shown to have been by the use of firearms, 8.5 persons per 100,000 of population having destroyed themselves in that way. Among women the use of poison predominated, 3.4 females per 100,000, the highest for any single method, having employed that means.

COMMODITIES MARKETS

WHEAT.

The wheat market was feverish, and showed the effect of the shock experienced on Tuesday. After nervous fluctuations, however, a firmer tone prevailed, and at the close of the day values were on the up-grade and showed net gains of ½c to 2¼c. This represented a net advance of 5⅞c to 8¾c from the low point of Tuesday, and it was thought in many quarters that the second position had been very materially strengthened by the heavy liquidation of the past week and that a further gain might easily occur. In the local cash market No. 2 durum was nominal; No. 2 hard Winter, $1.38¾. No. 1 northern Duluth, $2.00⅝; No. 1 northern Manitoba, $2.08, all free on board New York.

CHICAGO PRICES.

	High.	Low.	Close.	Prev. Close.	Last Year.
December	1.69¼	1.65¼	1.68¼	1.66	1.06⅜
May	1.77⅜	1.73⅜	1.77¼	1.75	1.09
July	1.45	1.41⅛	1.44⅝	1.44⅜	..

CORN.

The corn market was influenced largely by the action of the wheat, and after an early decline prices rallied and closed steady to firm, with net gains of 1c to 1¼c. The Liverpool market was easy, and the crop in Argentina appears to have been benefited by the recent rains. There was an absence of export demand, and the movement at primary points was quite liberal. According to The Price Current, the percentage of corn, which will grade No. 4 or better, ranged from 62 per cent. in Ohio to 97 per cent. in Oklahoma. In the local cash market No. 2 yellow corn was quoted at $1.04⅞, ten days' shipment, cost, insurance, and freight, New York.

CHICAGO PRICES.

	High.	Low.	Close.	Close.	Prev. Year.
December	89	87¼	89	87¾	65½
May	92⅝	90⅜	92¼	91¼	69⅜
July	91⅝	90⅛	91⅝	90⅜	..

OATS.

The market for oats was moderately active, and prices closed near the top with net gains of ⅞@1¼c. Shorts were fairly good buyers and a rather better feeling prevailed, although offers were quite liberal and the export demand was slow. In the local cash market standard was quoted at 60¼@61c; No. 2 white, 61@61¾c; No. 3 white, 60@60⅝c; No. 4 white, 59¼@60c; fancy clipped white, 64@66c; ordinary clipped white, 62@64c, all elevator.

CHICAGO PRICES.

	High.	Low.	Close.	Close.	Prev. Year.
December	55⅜	51⅛	53⅜	52¼	42¼
May	57¾	55¼	57½	56⅝	44½
July	53⅝	51¾	53¾	52	..

PROVISIONS.

The provision list was steady without being active. A moderate demand for lard was credited to the Belgian Commission and to packers, but hog news was again bearish. Some realizing after the opening sent prices under the previous night, but the loss was recovered with the late strength in grain, and closing prices were practically unchanged. Chicago had 58,000 hogs and expected 45,000 on Friday. Kansas City had 11,000 and Omaha 15,000 hogs.

CHICAGO PRICES.

Lard—	High.	Low.	Close.	Prev. Close.	Last Year.
January	16.45	16.32	16.45	16.42	9.40
May	16.30	16.15	16.25	16.32	9.70
Ribs—					
January	14.50	14.40	14.47	14.50	9.60
May	14.67	14.60	14.65	14.75	9.77
Pork—					
January	27.65	27.40	27.65	27.60	17.80
May	27.30	27.12	27.30	27.35	17.77

COTTONSEED OIL.

Trade in the oil market was of a holiday character, with few price changes, the close being 1 point higher to 6 lower. Some steadiness was shown early with the advance in cotton and reports of a steady crude market at 37c in the Southeast, but nothing near the close destroyed most of the improvement. Range of prices:

	High.	Low.	Close.	Prev. Close.
Spot			12.70	12.75
December	12.84	12.80	12.75@12.80	12.77
January	12.84	12.75	12.78@12.79	12.77
February			12.74@12.77	12.76
March	12.81	12.71	12.76@12.78	12.77
April	12.88	12.79	12.79@12.81	12.80
May	12.88	12.79	12.80@12.81	12.85
June	12.90	12.90	12.87@12.89	12.90
July	12.95	12.90	12.88@12.90	12.94

COFFEE.

The coffee market was comparatively quiet yesterday, with prices ruling higher on covering for over the holiday. The opening was unchanged to 2 points lower, but the market soon rallied, with March selling up to 8.83c and July to 8.61c. The close was at practically the best point of the day, showing a net advance of 6 to 7 points. The local spot market remained quiet as is usual preceding the holidays, with quotations unchanged on the basis of 9¼c for Rio 7s. Range of prices:

	High.	Low.	Close.	Close.	Prev. Year.
December	8.05	8.05	8.08@8.12	8.02	..
January	..	..	8.16@8.18	8.10	..
February	..	..	8.25@8.28	8.19	..
March	8.35	8.30	8.34@8.35	8.28	..
April	..	..	8.42@8.43	8.36	..
May	8.50	8.40	8.49@8.50	8.43	..
June	..	..	8.53@8.59	8.49	..
July	8.61	8.52	8.60@8.61	8.54	..
August	..	..	8.65@8.66	8.58	..
September	8.71	8.71	8.70@8.71	8.63	..
October	..	..	8.75@8.76	8.67	..
November	..	..	8.80@8.81	..	..

SUGAR.

The market for sugar futures opened irregular, 2 points higher to 3 points lower, and liquidation in near months sent prices off several points around midday, but reports that local refiners had purchased rather liberally of Louisiana and Peruvian sugars at equal to 4¾c, cost and freight, for Cubas, started a covering movement, and values advanced above the close of Tuesday, with trading moderately active. The close showed net gains of 7 points to a loss of 1 point, with sales for the day 18,450 tons. Range of prices:

	High.	Low.	Close.	Prev. Close.
December	4.08	4.05	4.06@4.08	4.02
January	4.23	4.11	4.11@4.24	4.17
February	3.95	3.88	3.97@3.98	3.90
March	3.90	3.84	3.92@3.93	3.86
April	3.94	3.88	3.94@3.96	3.89
May	3.97	3.90	3.97@3.98	3.93
June	..	..	4.00@4.02	3.97
July	4.02	3.99	4.03@4.05	4.01
August	..	..	4.06@4.08	4.05
September	4.09	4.05	4.07@4.24	4.09
October	4.08	4.08	4.12@4.14	4.13

The market for refined sugar was unchanged, at 7.50c for fine granulated, but trading was very light, with buyers inclined to hold off and await some adjustment in values. In fact, secondhand sugars were said to be available as low as 7.25c. Raw sugar was steady at quotations, with refiners showing a buying interest in full duty sugar, one local interest taking 12,000 bags Peruvian port, at 4⅝c, cost, insurance, and freight, equal to 4⅞c, cost and freight, for Cubas. There was also a sale of 50,000 bags Louisiana sugar at 5¼c, free on board, New Orleans, equal to 5.64c, duty paid. Quotations follow: Centrifugal, 5.64c; molasses, 4.77c, and cost and freight, 4¾c.

BUTTER AND EGG MARKET.

BUTTER.—Receipts yesterday, 5,924 packages. Demand has fallen off materially, and the market has developed a weaker tone on nearly all classes of stock. Supplies of the higher grades are not large, but a lack of buying interest has caused some pressure to sell, and values are lower in consequence. The entire line of quotations has been reduced from ½@1c, and at the decline the market is still unsettled. Nearby, higher scoring than extras, per lb., 42@42½c; extras, (92 score,) 41½c; firsts, (88 to 91 score,) 38¼@40½c; seconds, (83 to 87 score,) 36½@38c; thirds, 33½@36c; creamery, unsalted, higher than extras, 43@43½c; extras, 42@42½c; firsts, 39@41¼c; seconds, 37@38½c; creamery, held, higher than extras, 39@40c; extras, 38½@38¾c; firsts, 37½@38c; seconds, 36@37¼c; thirds, 35@35½c; State dairy, tubs, finest, 40@40½c; good to prime, 37½@39c; common to fair, 33½@37c; renovated, extras, 35½@36c; firsts, 33½@35c; lower grades, 30@33c; imitation creamery, firsts, 34½@35c; ladies, Juna make, firsts, 33¼@34c; current make, firsts, 33½c; seconds, 32½@33c; lower grades, 31@32c; packing stock, current make, firsts, 32½c; No. 2, 31¼@32c; lower grades, 30@31c.

EGGS.—Receipts yesterday, 4,038 cases. Market generally quiet, unsettled, and irregular. Arrivals continue light, and the proportion of new-laid qualities small. The demand for fresh-gathered eggs is quieter, but offerings of fine qualities are very scarce, and Southern are so light that values are sustained. More seriously mixed qualities and the remains of previous accumulations of Fall packed move slowly at easy prices. The high-priced nearby eggs are dull and tend to accumulate; prices for these are being shaded, but even so there is no satisfactory clearance. Storage eggs are again lower under very dull trade and some increase of pressure to sell. Hardly enough wholesale trading to give clear definition of values. Stock is offered at the reduction quoted in quantity for all present demands. Fresh gathered, extra fine, per dozen, 49@50c; extra firsts, 47@48c; firsts, 44@46c; seconds, 40@43c; thirds and poorer, 32@39c; dirties, No. 1, 34@35c; No. 2 and poorer, 30@33c; checks, good to choice, dry, 32@33c; undergrades, 28@31c. Refrigerator, special marks, fancy, storage and insurance paid, 35c; firsts, 31@34½c; seconds, 33@33½c; lower grades, 28@32½c. Refrigerator, State whites, 34@37c. State, Pennsylvania, and nearby Western, brimery whites, fine to fancy, 60@62c; ordinary to good, 45@58c; gathered whites, ordinary to fine, 43@60c. Nearby pullets eggs, whites, 45@50c; Western and Southern, gathered whites, 45@53c. State, Pennsylvania, and nearby, hennery browns, 50@55c; gathered brown and mixed colors, 40@60c.

Weather in Cotton and Grain States.

Special to The New York Times.

WASHINGTON, Nov. 29.—Forecast:

N. and S. Car. and Ga.—Overcast and cooler Thurs. Fri. fair; moderate w. and n. w. winds.

Fla.—Fair Thurs. and Fri.; moderate variable winds, becoming n. w.

Ala. and Miss.—Fair and cooler Thurs. Fri. fair; moderate n. w. winds.

Tenn. and Ky.—Fair and cooler Thurs. Fri. fair.

Ind.—Fair and colder Thurs. Fri. fair; fresh w. winds.

Lower Mich. and Ohio—Overcast and cooler Thurs. Fri. fair; fresh w. winds.

Upper Mich.—Overcast Thurs. and Fri.; moderate to fresh w. winds.

La.—Fair and colder Thurs. Fri., fair.

Ark.—Fair Thurs., colder in s. Fri., fair, warmer in n. w.

Okla.—Fair Thurs., warmer in w. and cent. Fri., fair and warmer.

E. Tex.—Fair Thurs., colder, except in extreme n. w. Fri., fair, warmer in n. w.

W. Tex.—Fair Thurs. and Fri., warmer in w.

Ill.—Fair and colder Thurs. Fri., fair and warmer.

Mo.—Fair Thurs., colder in e. Fri. fair and warmer.

Wis.—Fair Thurs. and Fri., colder in extreme e. Thurs., warmer Fri.

Minn.—Fair Thurs. and Fri.

Iowa—Fair Thurs. and Fri., warmer Fri.

N. Dak.—Fair Thurs. and Fri., colder Fri.

S. Dak.—Fair Thurs. and Fri., warmer in extreme w; Thurs. and in e. Fri.

Neb. and Kan.—Fair Thurs. and Fri., warmer in w. Thurs. and in e. Fri.

Transatlantic Mails.

Great Britain, Ireland, (letter mail only,) and South Africa, (also specially addressed correspondence for other countries, except Germany, Austria, Hungary, Luxemburg, Bulgaria, Serbia, Turkey, Netherlands, Norway, Sweden, and Denmark,) via Falmouth, at 1:30 P. M., (supplementary, 3 P. M.)—Pannonia.....Dec. 1

Sweden, Norway, and Denmark, via Gothenburg, at 7 A. M.—Stockholm..Dec. 2

Gibraltar, Italy, Switzerland, and Greece, (specially addressed only,) via Gibraltar and Genoa, at 8:30 A. M., (supplementary, 10 A. M.)—Duca d'Aosta.....Dec. 2

Europe, (except Germany, Austria, Hungary, Luxemburg, Bulgaria, Serbia, Turkey, Netherlands, Norway, Sweden, and Denmark,) Africa, West Asia, and East Indies, via Liverpool, (Spain and Portugal must be specially addressed for dispatch by this steamer,) at 9 A. M., (supplementary, 10 A. M.) (sea post)—Philadelphia.....Dec. 2

Azores Islands and Gibraltar, (Italy, Switzerland, and Greece must be specially addressed for dispatch by this steamer,) via Ponta Delgada, Gibraltar, and Naples, at 9 A. M.—Cretic.....Dec. 2

France, Switzerland, Italy, Egypt, Greece, British India, British East Africa, Siam, Malta, Gibraltar, Ceylon, Straits Settlements, Dutch East Indies, West Australia, and Persia, via Bordeaux, at 12 M., (supplementary, 1:30 P. M.,) (sea post)—Rochambeau.....Dec. 2

Transatlantic Parcel Post Mails.

Great Britain and Ireland—Close at 7:30 A. M. Dec. 2, SS Philadelphia.

France—Close at 11 A. M. Dec. 2, SS Rochambeau.

Belgium, Netherlands, Germany, Austria, and Hungary—Service suspended.

Liberia—No sailing at present.

Greece—Close at 11 A. M. Dec. 16, SS Patria.

Gibraltar—Close at 7:30 A. M. Nov. 30, SS Regina d'Italia, and at 8 A. M. Dec. 2, SS Cretic.

Denmark and Norway—Close at 9 A. M. Dec. 8, SS Frederik VIII.

Sweden—Close at 6 A. M. Dec. 2, SS Stockholm.

Italy—Close at 8 A. M. Dec. 2, SS Cretic.

SHIPPING AND MAILS

Miniature Almanac for Today.

[By the U. S. Coast and Geodetic Survey.]

Sun rises..6:58|Sun sets..4:30|Moon sets..10:34

THE TIDES.

	High Water. A.M.	High Water. P.M.	Low Water. A.M.	Low Water. P.M.
Sandy Hook	11:28	12:00	5:17	6:04
Governors Island	11:46	12:00	5:31	6:40
Hell Gate	1:41	1:52	7:32	8:21

Arrived—Wednesday, Nov. 29.

SS Tuscania, Liverpool, Nov. 10.
SS Barendrecht, Seville, Nov. 11.
SS Asturarca, Genoa, Oct. 13.
SS Folkv

THE REAL ESTATE FIELD.

William Street Deal for New Building Involving $1,000,000—Other Sales Downtown and on Fourth Avenue—Harlem Block Front Investment—$500,000 Brooklyn-Queens Trade.

There was plenty of activity in the realty market yesterday, a number of excellent deals in the midtown and downtown business sections being closed. Of particular interest was a deal on William Street, in the fire insurance centre, which will lead to the erection of another large insurance building.

The property includes the vacant plot at 130 to 134 William Street, 50 by 100, on the east side, between John and Fulton Streets. It was sold by Stanley L. Cohen, who purchased half of the plot a few years ago for $135,000. The plot contains 5,000 square feet. William L. Shire is preparing plans for the new structure. The Thompson-Starrett Company has the general contract, and the building will be ready for occupancy in the Fall of 1917. Several leases are pending in the proposed building. The entire transaction involves approximately $1,000,000.

The plot is opposite to the Underwriters Building, and is eighty feet south of Fulton Street, where the entrances of the William Street subway will be located.

The Charles F. Noyes Company were the brokers in the transaction.

Trade Journal Buys 13th Street Home.

An interesting deal which will strengthen the lower Fifth Avenue business section has been made by Fairchild Brothers, publishers of Women's Wear, who have purchased the six-story commercial structure at 6 to 10 East Thirteenth Street, adjoining the southeast corner of Fifth Avenue. It was bought from the Butterick Publishing Company. The plot has a frontage of 75 feet by 103, and has been held at about $90,000. The building will be altered and used as the home of the Fairchild Brothers' publication, now at 822 Broadway.

John N. Kalley & Sons were the brokers in the sale.

$340,000 Fourth Avenue Deal.

An important Fourth Avenue deal was made in the purchase by the Broadway-John Street Corporation, of which Elias A. Cohen is President, of the four old buildings with stores at 407 to 413 Fourth Avenue, midway between Twenty-eighth and Twenty-ninth Streets on the east side of the thoroughfare. The property has a frontage of 100 feet by 80 and was bought from Josephine C. Christman, who acquired it about five years ago. The plot is assessed at $340,000. No definite plans have been made for improvement, but pending the decision to erect a new commercial structure the buildings will be remodeled for trade.

British Firm Buys Water Street Building.

The Lawyers Mortgage Company sold to Dodwell & Co., a British firm of importers and exporters, now located at 50 Broad Street, the five-story commercial building at 161 and 163 Water Street. The structure occupies a plot 34.4 by 50. The property was sold free and clear through Douglas Robinson, Charles S. Brown Company.

Tenants Buy Washington Street Building.

For a figure close to $50,000 the estate of Bloomfield Brown sold to John H. Schneider & Co. the five-story building 286 Washington Street and 184 and 186 Chambers Street. The buyers have been tenants of the building for many years. It occupies a plot 26.8 by 48.4 by 26.3 by 57.3, and is assessed by the city at a valuation of $40,000.

$80,000 East Side Dwelling Sale.

Herman Kinnicutt purchased for occupancy from Francis Livingston 65 East Eighty-second Street, a five-story American basement dwelling, on a lot 20 by 102.2. The property is assessed by the city for taxation at $60,000, and has been held at $80,000.

Old Hammerstein Block Front in West Harlem Reported Sold.

The six five-story apartment houses occupying the block front on the east side of Seventh Avenue between 136th and 137th streets are reputed to have been sold to an investor by the Sutton estate. The houses were built by Oscar Hammerstein about thirty years ago and were at that time considered the finest group of apartments in West Harlem. Since the invasion of negroes in that section of Harlem they have deteriorated.

Two Harlem Deals.

Samuel Stern purchased from the Finance Operating Company for investment the five-story flat occupying a lot 25 by 100 on the south side of 120th Street, 325 feet west of Seventh Avenue.

The Wells Holding Company sold to the John B. Haskin estates 75 West 126th street, a three-story dwelling on lot 17 by 99.11.

Operator Figures in Three Deals.

Frederick Brown, operator, figured in three transactions yesterday. He sold the five and six story apartment house on plot 89 by 96 irregular, at 1071 and 1049 Franklin Avenue, to John Knox McAfee, who gave in exchange the vacant plot, 65 by 96, on the east side of Valentine Avenue, 300 feet north of 196th Street. Sharrott & Thom were the brokers.

The Macy Construction Company has bought from Mr. Brown the vacant plot, 50 by 123, at 1,021 and 1,023 Trinity Avenue between 165th and 166th Streets, and has given in exchange the two dwellings on lot 25 by 105 each, at 555 and 557 South Fifth Street, Mount Vernon, N. Y. Kurz & Uren negotiated this exchange.

Mr. Brown also sold to Annie Socal the five-story apartment house on plot 39 by 94 irregular, at 914 East 167th Street, northeast corner of Tiffany Street.

Bronx.

Alexander Selkin and David Mintz have sold for the 1,640 University Avenue Company the two-story and basement two-family house known as 1,072 Hall Place; also 1,075 Intervale Avenue, a one-story brick garage on a plot 30 by 110, irregular. The buyer will offer same for sale.

Albert Rothenberg purchased from Estella A. Segal 1,285 Washington Avenue a two-story building on a lot 25 by 89.9.

Mary Kolb sold to Morris Schoenholtz 1,892 Fulton Avenue, and two-story buildings on plot 50 by 211, near 170th Street.

$500,000 Brooklyn-Queens Deal.

A deal involving Brooklyn and Queens Borough properties aggregating in value about $500,000 has been closed in the purchase by James C. Graham of 525 lots in Queens comprising thirteen city blocks with frontages on Lawrence and Little Neck Avenues. They were acquired from the George W. West Realty Corporation, composed of Schenectady and Saratoga interests. In part payment Mr. Graham gave the six four-story apartment houses covering the south side of St. John's Place between Rogers and Nostrand Avenues, Brookiyn.

Maurice G. Straus and George L. Long were the brokers in the transaction.

Brooklyn.

Daniel H. Jackson bought from a client of J. Levy & Co., 28 Chester Street, between Pitkin Avenue and East New York Avenue, a four-story apartment on a plot 35 by 100.

The two four-story flats at 2,113 and 2,115 Dean Street, each on plot 26.8 by 107, have been sold by Meyer Levenson for the Bond & Mortgage Guarantee Co.

Long Island.

The Westwood Realty Company sold $37 East Nineteenth Street, Flatbush, a detached house on plot 50 by 100 for Moriz Steinhardter to a client for occupancy; also 2,713 Church Avenue, a detached house with garage in the rear for Albert E. Castle to a client for investment.

Griffen, Prince & Ripley sold for the Zeeland Realty Company a plot of one acre with a frontage of 150 feet facing Long Island Sound in the Manursing Island section immediately south of the Beach Club, to Dr. Oscar J. Chase of New York City, who will build at once a residence for his own occupancy.

E. S. Willard & Company have sold for Erastus M. Cravath the property at Mill Neck, L. I. adjoining that of Irving Brokaw and opposite the Piping Rock Estate. The purchaser is Lyman N. Hine, who proposes to occupy the property as his residence.

Henry A. Rogers of Worthington Whitehouse, Inc., sold for the estate of James Abel Payne, a tract of woodland in Bungafields, Westbury, L. I. The property is near the country estates of William Payne Thompson and A. Ludlow Kramer. The buyer will develop for his own occupancy.

The Robert E. Farley Organization has sold for the Glens Falls Trust Company several plots at Nassau Haven, its new deve'opment at Hyde Park, to C. W. Weddle and Chester A. Stobough.

New Jersey.

Louis Kamm, Inc., sold for the heirs of Mary R. Matthews, to Richard W. and Cortlandt Parker 17 Cedar Street, Newark, N. J., and leased it to the Goerke Company, which occupies the adjoining property.

Lower Broadway Corner Leased.

The Douglas Robinson, Charles S. Brown Company have leased for the Broadway Building Company to the Baltimore & Ohio Railroad Company for a long term of years the southeast corner of Broadway and Maiden Lane.

The store is part of the space formerly occupied by the Guardian Trust Company. The balance of this space is now under negotiation. This is the second long-term Broadway lease closed in this district by Douglas Robinson, Charles S. Brown Company in the last few months, the former deal being the leasing of the Waterman corner, at Cortlandt Street and Broadway, to the Schulte Realty Company.

Commercial Leases.

Charles F. Noyes Company leased the store and basement at 117 Spring Street to T. Gordon, and a store at 41-5 Lafayette Street for Herman Suerken to Henry Lowenthal.

The Cross & Brown Company has leased the store at 1,893 Broadway to M. D. Hanrahan.

The Real Estate Management Company has leased for Peter Doelger Brewing Company to Charles Edrich the store at 2,580 Broadway for a term of years; also for Peter Doelger Brewing Company the store at 2,576 Broadway to Peter Papagianis.

Realty Notes.

The Charles F. Noyes Company announces that Stanley K. Green, formerly of Nelson, Lee & Green, has joined its organization.

Straus & Straus & Co. have purchased the entire issue of first mortgage 5 per cent. serial bonds of the Southern Hotel Building, Baltimore, Md., amounting to $725,000.

The New York Title and Mortgage Company has made a loan of $36,000 to Ehrlich Brothers for the erection of a six-story apartment house.

RESULTS AT AUCTION.

AT 14 VESEY STREET.

By Arthur C. Sheridan.

132d St, 41 East, n q, 100 ft e of Madison Av, 20x99.11, part of a two-story church; Clara Kinkeldey, as executrix, against Mount Gilead Baptist Church et al.; Beals & N., attorneys; due, $6,645.78; taxes, &c., $1,000; plaintiff's bid, $5,000.

132d St, 39 East, n s, 80 ft e of Madison Av, 20x99.11, part of a two-story church; Frances Braun and others, executors, against same; L. J. Langbein, attorney; due, $6,285; taxes, &c., $42,255.78; to the plaintiff for $5,000.

By Joseph P. Day.

87th St, 542 East, s s, 164 ft w of Av. B, 18x60.6, three-story dwelling, C. A. Miller, as substitute trustee, against E. M. Kaufbach et al.; Cary & C., attorneys; due, $2,310.11; taxes, &c., $476.70; to O'Reilly & Dahn for a client for $5,225.

By Samuel Marx.

21 Av, 1,772, e s, 101 ft s of 93d St, 25.5x100, five-story tenement and store; D. J. Judge against D. M. Lowden et al.; J. H. Judge, attorney; due, $15,440.21; taxes, &c., $493.80; to the plaintiff for $13,000.

AT 3,208 THIRD AVENUE.

By J. H. Mayers.

Rhinelander Av, s w corner of Hunt Av, 65x115x irregular, vacant; G. J. Puckhafer against Mary O'Connell et al.; G. A. Moses, attorney; due, $1,300; taxes, &c., $220; to the plaintiff for $850.

Oakes Av, n s, 100 ft e of Bussing Av, 25x100, vacant; Henry Isaacs against Land Co. B. of Edenwald et al.; G. A. Moses, attorney; due, $172; taxes, &c., $100; to the plaintiff for $100.

ON PREMISES AT 10 A. M.

By George F. Allison, Referee.

Oak St, w s, 350 ft s of Cornell Av, 50x100, vacant; L. J. Moses against J. Storms et al.; G. A. Moses, attorney; due, $335; taxes, &c., $250; to the plaintiff for $100.

THE BUILDING DEPARTMENT.

Bronx Park, 700, 1,150 ft e of Southern Boulevard, for a one-story brick storage house, 88x26; City of New York, owner; George M. Beerbower, 700 Bronx Park, architect; cost, $2,500.

Park Av, n w corner of 168th St, for a four-story brick ice plant, 80.10x133; Universal Ice Manufacturing Co., Edward S. Napolis, 391 East 149th St, President, owner; John L. Rouk, 126 Liberty St, architect; cost, $150,000.

Alterations.

Items under $5,000 omitted.

14th St, 233 West, to a five-story dwelling; R. Thalta, 312 West 151st St, owner; G. E. Ward, 417 East 34th St, architect; cost, $7,000.

34th St, 59 East, to a five-story dwelling and store; J. A. Trowbridge, 57 East 34th St, owner; A. E. Nast, 546 5th Av, architect; cost, $10,000.

3d Av, e s, 52.5x ft n of 170th St, to a five-story brick storage house, 26x79.9; Margaret Mathis, 501 East 170th St, owner; Kreymborg Architectural Co., 1,029 East 163d St, architect; cost, $10,000.

REAL ESTATE TRANSFERS.

WEDNESDAY, NOV. 29.

With name and address of the purchaser and attorney. When attorney's name is omitted address party of the second part.

Manhattan.

AMSTERDAM AV, 2,089-91, e s, 110.4 ft n of 163d St, 80x111; 158th St, n s, 150 ft w of Amsterdam Av, 100x100.11; Jacob Herb to Shrapnel Realty Co., 35 Nassau St, Nov. 22; attorney, M. S. Hoffman, 35 Nassau St. ..$100

AVENUE A, n e corner of 3d St, 192.4 to s s of 4th St x145; James R. Roosevelt et al to William V. Astor, Rhinebeck, N. Y., b. and s., subject to leases; attorney, E. D. Coulter, 23 West 26th St. ..$1

AVENUE A, s w corner of 87th St, 25x75; Consumers' Brewing Co. of New York to Consumers' Brewery Realty Corporation, Eddyville, N. Y., all liens, Nov. 24; attorneys, Holm, W. & S., 35 Nassau St. ..$1

CANNON ST, 59, w s, 25x100; Lawyers' Mortgage Co. to Harry Oken, 329 East 50th St, b. and s., all liens, Nov. 28; attorney, Title Guarantee and Trust Co., 176 Broadway ..$100

CHERRY ST, s w corner of James Slip, (No. 1,) 36.2x24; Consumers' Brewing Co. of N. Y., Ltd., to Consumers' Brewery Realty Corp., Eddyville, Ulster Co., N. Y., all liens, Nov. 24; attorneys, Holm, W. & S., 35 Nassau St. ..$1

CHRISTOPHER ST, 19 and 21, n s, 100 ft e of Waverley Place, 40.2x90; Max and Samuel Lipman to Alfred Bartels 2,040 7th Av, mtg $40,000, all liens, Nov. 2; attorney, Rose Pergelte, 136 Broadway ..$100

DYCKMAN (or Inwood) ST, 150, part of Lots 64d, 64e, 64f, 64g, 64h, 64i, 64j, 64k, 64l, 64m, 64n, and 64o, Map 868, of Abr. R. Van Nest, Inwood, 100x irreg; Kalbe Realty Co. to George W. Perkins, 76 Park Av, subj to $10,000, Feb. 18; attorneys, Miller & B., 55 Liberty St. ..$1

ELDRIDGE ST, w s, 125 ft n of Delancey St, 25x100; Joseph Rabinowitz to Rabinowitz Realty Co., 354 Broadway, Brooklyn, mtg $15,000, Nov. 23; address, J. Safren, 354 Broadway, Brooklyn ..$1

HAVEN AV, w s, 150 ft n from s s of 170th St, 50x103.3; Alfred Bartels to Max Lipman, 565 West 162d St, and another, all liens, Nov. 2; attorneys, Lachman & G., 35 Nassau St. ..$100

INTERIOR gore, begins 103.3 ft w of Haven Av x— from 170th St, produced and at n s of Lot 131, Plot 147, map of Barclay vs. Ward, Nov. 24, 1804, 50x12.6x50, being part of Plot 147; Alfred Bartels to Max Lipman, 565 West 162d St, and another, all liens, Nov. 2; attorneys, Lachman & G., 35 Nassau St. ..$100

LAFAYETTE ST, 200-202, n w corner of Broome St, 136.4x100.7x142.6x100.2; James R. Roosevelt et al, trustees, to William V. Astor, Rhinebeck, N. Y., subject to leases; attorney, E. D. Coulter, 23 West 26th St. ..$1

MONROE ST, 28, s s, 231.5 ft w of Market St, runs w 23.8x s 97.10 to n s of Hamilton St x e 25.7x n 35.2x w 2.11x n 35.8 to beginning; Wolf Somer et al, to Joseph Gordon, 2,000 Mapes Av, Bronx, mtg $28,000, Nov. 24; attorney, Title Guarantee and Trust Co., 176 Broadway ..$100

MORNINGSIDE DRIVE, 106, w w corner 121st St, 101.10x181.3x100.11x167.2, foreclosure Oct. 5, 1916; Louis J. Schwartz, referee, to Fortis Realty Co., 35 Nassau St, mtg $511,575, Oct. 11; attorneys, A. L. and S. F. Jacobs, 30 Broad St. ..$5,000

PARK AV, 132, w s, 25.2 ft s of 91st St, 25.2x82.2; William Dietz to Charles Dietz, 1,132 Park Av, mtg $24,000, Nov. 28; attorneys, Salter & S., 140 Nassau St. ..$1

SOUTH ST, n e corner of James Slip, 45x 84.10; Jacob Herb to Shrapnel Realty Co., 35 Nassau St, Nov. 22; attorney, Milton S. Hoffman, 35 Nassau St. ..$100

WALL ST, e, n s, 22.6x120.8x22.4x irregular; Pine St, s s, 20.1x94.11x18.11x86.10, e s; Pine St, 5, s s, 104.2 ft e of Broadway, 21.2x 74.5x21.4x74.8; Broadway, 94 and 96, e s, 84.4 ft s of Pine St, 38.4x100; James R. Roosevelt et al, trustees, to William V. Astor, Rhinebeck, N. Y., b. and s., subject to leases, June 22; attorney, E. D. Coulter, 23 West 26th St. ..$1

WEST END AV, n e corner 97th St, 22.8x100; Helen B. Warrington to Martha S. Wittnauer, 562 West End Av, mtg $50,000, Sept. 15; address, 30 West 36th St. ..$1

2D AV, 2,238, s e corner of 113th St, 20.2x 75; Consumers' Brewing Co. of New York to Consumers' Brewing Realty Corporation, Eddyville, N. Y., all liens, Nov. 24; attorneys, Holm, W. & S., 35 Nassau St. ..$1

3D AV, n e corner of 113th St, 25.2x104.6; 23d St, s s, 234 ft e of 6th Av, 25x98.9, ¼ part; Ronald K. Brown, trustee, to Margaret A. Jackson, 556 Madison Av, et al; address 320 Broadway ..$1

3D ST, 84 East, s w s, 25x100.6; Joseph Rabinowitz to Rabinowitz Realty Co., 354 Broadway, Brooklyn, mtg $28,500, all liens, Nov. 23; address, J. Safren, 354 Broadway, Brooklyn ..$100

4TH AV, 407-413, e s, 46.1 ft no of 28th St, 80x90.8x irregular; Josephine C. Christian to the Broadway-John Street Corp., 206 Broadway, mtg $242,000, b. and s., c. a. g., Nov. 27; attorney, E. A. Cohen, 206 Broadway ..$25

4TH ST, 250, East, s s, 104.9 ft e of Avenue B, 24.9x97, foreclosure Nov. 22; Mark Elsner, referee, to Paula Wright, Beechmont, New Rochelle, N. Y., Nov. 29; attorney, Joseph F. Stier, 11 Broadway ..$12,000

7TH AV, e s, 44.11 ft n of 135th St, 18x75; Jacob Herb to Shrapnel Realty Co., 35 Nassau St, Nov. 22; attorney, M. S. Hoffman, 35 Nassau St. ..$100

8TH AV, n w corner of 124th St, 201.8 ft to s s of 125th St, x 150; James R. Roosevelt et al., trustees, to William V. Astor, Rhinebeck, N. Y., Nov. 22; attorney, E. D. Coulter, 23 West 26th St. ..$1

22D ST, 54 West, s s, 142 ft e of 6th Av, 23x98.9, foreclosure Nov. 28; Mark Goldberg, referee, to Caroline R. Brown, Bellehaven, Greenwich, Conn., and Emma A. Conklin, 14 Echo Av, New Rochelle, N. Y., executrixes of William H. Brigham, Nov. 28; attorney, John M. Rider, 44 Cedar St. ..$50,000

47TH ST, 617 and 619 West, n s, 275 ft w of 11th Av, 50x100.5, mtg $63,000; 47th St, 621 and 623 West, n s, 325 ft w of 11th Av, 50x100.5; 47th St, 613 and 615 West, n s, 225 ft w of 11th Av, 50x100.5; Edward F. Beinhauer to Beinhauer Bros. Realty Co., 2 West 88th St, correction deed; attorney, Title Guarantee and Trust Co., 176 Broadway ..$100

69TH ST, 211 West, n s, 144.6 ft w of Amsterdam Av, 19.8x100.5; Selma Wronker to E. A. M. Realty Co., 3 Washington Sq, mtg $16,000, all liens; attorney, Lawyers Title and Trust Co., 160 Broadway ..$100

71ST ST, n s, 75 ft w of Avenue A, 25x54.4; Consumers' Brewing Co. of New York to Consumers' Brewery Realty Corporation, Eddyville, N. Y., all liens, Nov. 24; attorneys, Holm, W. & S., 35 Nassau St. ..$1

83D ST, 116 East, s s, 20.1x94.11x18.11x86.10, e s; Pine St, 5, s s, 104.2 ft e of Broadway, 21.2x 74.5x21.4x74.8; Broadway, 94 and 96, e s, 84.4 ft s of Pine St, 38.4x100; James R. Roosevelt et al., trustees, to William V. Astor, Rhinebeck, N. Y., b. and s., subject to leases, June 22; attorney, E. D. Coulter, 23 West 26th St. ..$1

125TH ST, 75 West, n s, 109 ft e of Lenox Av, 17x80.11; Wells Holding Co. to John H. Haskin Estates, Inc., 140 Nassau St, mtg $5,000, June 9; attorney, Title Guarantee and Trust Co., 176 Broadway ..$100

127TH ST, s s, 450 ft e of 2d Av, runs s 100.10 to n s of 126th St x e 25x n 100.11 x e 25.x n 99.11 to 127th St x w 50 to beginning; Consumers' Brewing Co. of New York to Consumers' Brewing Realty Corporation, Eddyville, Ulster County, N. Y., all liens, Nov. 24; attorneys, Holm, W. & S., 35 Nassau St. ..$1

131ST ST, 19 West, n s, 280 ft w of 5th Av, 25x99.11; David Fried, Ignaz Hermann, et al., to H. & F. Realty Co., 2,215 5th Av, mtg $14,000, Nov. 28; attorney, Leo Schafran, 51 Chambers St. ..$100

136TH ST, 407-411, n s, 536 ft w of 7th Av, 16x99.11; Louis C. Jacoby to Equitable Life Assurance Society, 120 Broadway, mtg $7,000; attorneys, Alexander & G., 120 Broadway ..$1

173D ST, 526 West, s s, 95 ft e of Audubon Av, 37.6x100, foreclosure Oct. 31; Timothy A. Leary, referee, to Charles H. Newcomb, at Audubon-on-Hudson, N. Y., Nov. 29; attorney, Title Guarantee and Trust Co., 176 Broadway ..$35,400

Bronx.

ALEXANDER AV, 135, w s, 25x100; John M. Zurn, referee, to Union Heights Realty Co., 185 Montague St, Brooklyn, mtge $11,500, Nov. 29; attorney, B. R. Duncan, 189 Montague St, Brooklyn ..$100

BRYANT AV, e s, 145 ft s of 173d St, 20x 100; Frank E. Barnard to Lavelle Construction Co., 385 East 149th St, Nov. 22; attorney, E. L. Barnard, 391 East 149th St. ..$1

DALY AV, s e corner of 179th St, 27.5x100.3x 21.2x100.2; Frederick K., or Fred K., Flechtner to Herman L. Schleief, 3,619 3d Av, mtg $22,000, Nov. 25; attorney, Law Title and Trust Co., 160 Broadway ..$100

FORD ST, s s, 200 ft w of Webster Av, 25x 106.5x25x107.5; also Ford St, n s, 100 ft w of Webster Av, 25x100; also, 185th St, n s, 300 ft w of Webster Av, 25x100; Philip William Roos to Marie M. Roos, Mamaroneck, N. Y., Nov. 25; attorney, Lawyers Title and Trust Co., 160 Broadway ..$100

FULTON AV, e s, 126.11 ft s of 170th St, 50x211; Mary Kalb to Morris Schoenholtz, 1,392 Fulton Av, Oct. 17; attorney, J. L. Bernstein, 3 Beekman St. ..$100

GRAND BOULEVARD AND CONCOURSE, w s, 189.11 ft s of 189th St, 50x80.11x50x 81.3; Katharine Rybitzki to Enol Realty Corporation, 2,453 Davidson Av, mtg $7,000, Nov. 21; attorney, New York Title and Mortgage Co., 135 Broadway ..$100

LELAND AV, 1,374, e s, 25x100; Bernard H. Arnold, referee, to Frederick Gebhard or Gebhardt, 317 East 141st St, Nov. 28; attorney, M. J. Sullivan, Willis Av and 148th St. ..$3,000

MULFORD AV, w s, 75 ft n of James St, 75x100; Anthony L. Gellen to Charles L. Siebert, 501 East 176th St, Sept. 23; attorney, Charles L. Siebert, 501 East 176th St. ..$1

SAME PROPERTY; Charles L. Siebert to Minnie T. Gellen, 501 East 176th St, Nov. 28; same attorney ..$1

ODPYKE ST, s s, 175 ft e of 4th St, 25x100; Josephine Brook to John T. Brook, Pelham, N. Y., Nov. 27; attorneys, Ashforth & Co., 11 East 42d St. ..$100

TREMONT AV, 718 to 718½, s w s, 25x90.10 x25x90.9; Frank Ramsteck et al, to No. 99 Pearl Street Co., 15 William St, mtg $7,000, Nov. 28; attorney, Lawyers Title and Trust Co., 160 Broadway ..$100

TROY ST, n w s, 310 ft n e of Sidney St, 70x150.6; Ethel Realty Co. to Fairchild & Co., 43 Cedar St, mtg $6,000, Nov. 11; attorney, J. J. McKelvey, 43 Cedar St. ..$100

UNDERCLIFF AV, w s, 72.9 ft n of 170th St, 50x100; also Undercliff Av, e s, 211.4 ft n of 170th St, 100x100; Ellsworth J. Healy, referee, to Regent Realty Co., 33 West 42d St, Nov. 29; attorneys, Lachman & G., 35 Nassau St. ..$3,000

VALENTINE AV, 2,343, w s, 75x 100; Faiella Construction Corporation to Delta Holding Corporation, 217 Broadway, mtg $45,000, Nov. 16; attorney, Lawyers Title and Trust Co., 160 Broadway ..$100

SAME PROPERTY; Delta Holding Corporation to Augustus Heye, 199 Riverside Drive, mtg $45,000, Nov. 27; same attorney ..$100

VYSE AV, 1,219, w s, 18.9x100; Hy Wollner to Benjamin Wollner, Lewiston, Penn., mtg $7,500, Nov. 27; attorney, Benjamin Wollner, Lewiston, Penn. ..$1

WASHINGTON AV, 1,285 w s, 25x89.9; Estelle A. Segal to Albert Rothenberg, 764 East 152d St, mortgage $7,000, Nov. 8; attorney, A. Rothenberg, 315 West 54th St. ..$1

WEST FARMS ROAD, w s, 120.3 ft n of Freeman St, 62.1x129.9x50.11x102.7; also 142d St, s s, 9 ft w of Morris Av, 50x100; also Morris Av, s w corner of 142d St, 112.7 x90.5x100x9; James Dowds to James Dowds, Inc., Willis Av and 148th St, mtg $9,000, Feb. 19; attorney, M. J. Sullivan, Willis Av and 148th St. ..$100

WEST FARMS ROAD, w s, 120.3 ft n of Freeman St, 62.1x129.9x50.11x102.6; James Dowds, Inc., to Bryant Av and 165th Street Co., Inc., 1,120 Bryant Av, Nov. 29; attorney, Bryant Av and 165th Street Co., Inc., 1120 Bryant Av. ..$100

WILKINS Av, e s, 550 ft n of 170th St, runs n and ne along s s Wilkins Av 150 to s s Boston Rd on curve, 151.10x se 43x s 47.8x e 4x s 25x w 100, Avenue St, John and Fox Street Corporation to Mitchell Strohmeyer, 1,020 Kelly St, mortgage $7,500, Nov. 28; attorney, Lawyers Title and Trust Company, 160 Broadway ..$100

3D AV, w s, 53 ft s of 135th St, 30.6x irregular; Frederick L. Kurr to Rose M. Kurr and another, New Rochelle, N. Y., Nov. 28; attorney, R. H. Ernest, 58 Park Row ..$1

137TH ST, s s, 75 ft w of Alexander Av, 16.10x169; Mary A. Moore to Edith Rahr, 314 East 137th St, mortgage $5,000, Nov. 28; attorneys, Hirleman & V., 391 East 149th St. ..Omitted

170TH ST, s w corner Bristow St, 57.6x 105.7; Leonard Weill to Louise Eblinger, 803 Eagle Av mortgage $54,750, Nov. 27; attorney, E. Cohn, 74 Broadway ..$1

214TH ST, 709 East, n s, 25x100; Grant Squires, executor, to Maria Cerullo, 514 East 119th St, Nov. 28; attorney, Title Guarantee and Trust Co., 176 Broadway ..$4,550

SAME PROPERTY; Maria Cerullo to Joseph Ferris, 346 East 104th St, mtg $3,000, Nov. 28; attorney, Charles Zerbarini, 346 Broadway ..$1

RECORDED MORTGAGES.

With name and address of lender and lender's attorney. Interest is at 5 per cent. unless otherwise specified.

Manhattan.

BROADWAY, n e corner of 183d St, 199.10 ft to s s of 184th St x90, Nov. 25; Riverside Drive Realty Co. to Conover L. Silver, 590 West End Av, due as per agreement, prior mtg $166,000; attorney, T. C. Ennever, 132 Nassau St. ..$25,000

CANNON ST, 59, w s, 25x100, Nov. 28; Harry Oken to Lawyers Mortgage Co., 69 Liberty St, due and interest as per bond; attorney, Title Guarantee and Trust Co., 176 Broadway ..$17,000

CHRISTOPHER ST, 19 and 21, n s, 100 ft e of Waverley Place, 40.2x70, Nov. 2; Alfred Bartels to Max Lipman, 565 West 162d St, and another, 2 years, 6 p. c., prior mtg $40,000; attorneys, Lachman & G., 35 Nassau St. ..$2,000

CLINTON ST, 91, w s, 150 ft s of Rivington St, 25x100, Nov. 28; Rosie Welkowitz to Frances Bieber, 1,815 7th Av, 1 year, 6 p. c.; attorney, Alex. Rosenbaum, 200 Broadway ..$8,700

FULTON ST, 210, s s, 23x77.7, Nov. 14; Denison Realty Corp'n to Chas. F. Noyes, 419 Washington Av, Brooklyn, 1 year, mtg $40,000; attorneys, Stoddard & M., 128 Broadway ..$30,000

MORNINGSIDE AV, EAST 26, e s, 54.7 ft s of 117th St, 27x100, Nov. 25; Lottie S. Weil to Otto Popper, 27 Morningside Av, due and interest as per bond; attorney, A. Frankenthaler, 35 Nassau St. ..$1,500

2D AV, 2,127, e s, 22 ft n of 116th St, 20x 65, one-third part, Nov. 29; Charles B. Clark to Harry G. Meyers, 302 Broadway, 1 year, 6 p. c.; attorney, James W. Turley, 233 Broadway ..$300

4TH AV, e s, 174 ft n of 9th St, 24.4x36.9x irreg.; 4th Av, e s, 146 ft n of 9th St, 28x 40.6xirreg, leasehold, Nov. 28; Morris Weinstein to Rose Woronov, 1,655 44th St, Brooklyn, 1 year, 6 p. c.; attorney, Lawyers Title and Trust Co., 160 Broadway ..$2,800

47TH ST, 613-15 West, n s, 225 ft w of 11th Av, 50x100.5, Nov. 29; Bernhauer Bros. Realty Co. to William O. Saxton, 410 West End Av, et al, trustees, due and mortgage as per bond; attorney, Title Guarantee and Trust Co., 176 Broadway ..$20,000

69TH ST, 211 West, n s, 144.6 ft w of Amsterdam Av, 19.8x100.8, Nov. 29; E. A. M. Realty Co., to Selma Wronker, 310 West 93d St, 6 years, 6 p. c., prior mtg $16,000; attorney, Lawyers Title and Trust Co., 160 Broadway ..$2,400

83D ST, 116 East, s s, 200.7 ft e of Park Av, 24.5x102.2, Nov. 29; William J. Norris to New York Title and Mortgage Co., 135 Broadway, 3 years, 5½ p. c. ..$15,000

120TH ST, n s, 150 ft w of 8th Av, 25x100.11, Nov. 29; Charles B. Clark to Henry G. Meyers, 250 West 94th St, 1 year, 6 p. c.; attorney, James A. Turley, 237 Broadway ..$300

126TH St, n s, 141.10 ft w of 7th Av, 16.4x 99.11, Nov. 15; Ellison & Co. to Lord & Burnham Co., Irvington, N. Y., one year, 6 p. c.; attorneys, Davison & U., 50 Court St, Brooklyn ..$2,500

173D ST, 526 West, s s, 95 ft e of Audubon Av, 37.6x100, Nov. 29; Charles H. Newcomb to Henry F. Schwarz, Greenwich, Conn., due Nov. 1, 1919; attorneys, Rounds, H. D. & D., 62 Cedar St. ..$31,000

Bronx.

GRAND BOULEVARD AND CONCOURSE, w s, 189.11 ft s of 189th St, now 188th St, 50x81.3; Ewol Realty Corporation to New York Title and Mortgage Co., 135 Broadway, Nov. 6, 5 years, 6 p. c.; until completion of building, and 5½ p. c. thereafter; attorney, New York Title and Mortgage Co., 135 Broadway ..$8,000

LOT 138, map of Moss estate; Mae De Genero to Patrick J. Maguire, 429A 8th St, Brooklyn, Nov. 8, 3 years, 6 p. c.; attorney, S. Marsden, 37 Liberty St. ..$500

MARTHA AV, n w corner of 258th St, 25x 100; Maria Melillo to Daniel D. Curry, 327 East 58th St, prior mtg $4,200, Nov. 28, due as per bond; attorney, C. B. Augustine, 261 Broadway ..$375

WEST FARMS ROAD, e s, being plot bounded by land William Henderson, e by Main St, n by land William Adee, and w by West Farms Road; Philip E. Fleischman to William H. Pound, one-fifth part, Westchester, N. Y., Nov. 23, 1909; attorney, Thomas O'Neil. ..$500

159TH ST, n s, 85 ft w of Elton Av, 15x50; Giuseppe M. Mangone to Walter E. Andrews, 1,826 Mt. Eden Av, and another, Nov. 27, due as per bond; attorney, R. B. Stringham, 277 Broadway ..$500

214TH ST, 700 East, n s, 25x100; Maria Cerullo to Mary Quirke, 3,031 Tyndale Av, Nov. 28, due as per bond; attorney, Title Guarantee and Trust Co., 176 Broadway. ..$3,000

217TH ST, s s, 205 ft e of Barnes Av, 50x114; Kank Realty Co. to Russell J. W. Snyder, 203 Broadway, Nov. 28, due as per bond; attorneys, Dutton & K., 203 Broadway. ..$4,000

234TH ST, s s, 414 ft e of White Plains Road, 229th to 233d St, x50x114.6x50x114.6x 100.1; John Gerrard et al to Josephine M. Offinger, on East Lincoln Av, Mount Vernon, N. Y., and another, Nov. 28, 3 years, 6 p. c.; attorney, New York Title and Mortgage Co., 135 Broadway ..$6,500

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Manhattan.

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7TH AV, 2,560-66; also 148th St, 201 West, all; Albert F. Brugman to Charles Klimmerman, 218 West 148th St, 5 years from Jan. 1, 1923; attorneys, Bandler & Haas, 42 Broadway ..$6,000

48TH ST, s s, 275.6 ft e of 8th Av, 99.8x 100.5, all; 220 West 48th Street Realty Corp. to Flying Theatre Co., 220 West 48th St, 10 years from Aug. 1, 1913; attorney, L. L. Weber, 220 West 48th St. ..$32,000

83D ST, 431 East, all; Laura Reiss to Max Fein, 325 East 83d St, 3 years from Dec. 1, 1915; 2 years' renewal. ..$1,020

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Manhattan.

AVENUE A, n w corner of 66th St, 40.5x 100; N. Y. Life Ins. Co. et al. against Ullman Realty Co. et al., foreclosure of mortgage; attorneys, Cary & Carroll.

AVENUE C, s w corner of 14th St, 114.9x88; Robert F. Cutting et al. against David Moskowitz et al., foreclosure of mortgage; attorney, Stotesbury.

SULLIVAN ST, s s, 202 ft s of Broome St, 18.3x80x irregular; Lawrence S. Suarez et al. against Antonio Crecco et al., foreclosure of mortgage; attorneys, Cary & Carroll.

7TH AV, n w corner of 138th St, 20x77.8; Equitable Life Assurance Society of the U. S. against Matilda F. Fitzsimons et al., foreclosure of mortgage; attorneys, Alexander & Green.

26TH ST, 142 and 144 West; N. Y. Life Ins. Co. against A. & S. Construction Co. et al., foreclosure of mortgage; attorney, G. W. Hubbell.

43D ST, s s, 23 ft e of 5th Av, 10x100.5; Thomas T. Sturges et al. against 4 East 43d St. Corp et al., ejectment proceedings, &c.; attorneys, Norwood & Walsh.

55TH ST, 307, East; Emigrant Industrial Savings Bank against David Osterweis et al., foreclosure of two mortgages; attorneys, R. & E. J. O'Gorman.

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JEWISH FARMERS HOLD CONVENTION

Of the 6,000 in United States, 1,500 Assemble Here—Their Welfare Discussed.

FEDERATION RANKS GROW

Louis Marshall Predicts Membership of Tens of Thousands In the Near Future.

Fifteen hundred of the 6,000 Jews in the United States who have gone in for farming sent delegates yesterday to the opening session of the eighth annual convention of the Federation of Jewish Farmers of America at Public School 65. They were welcomed by Louis Marshall, President of the American Jewish Committee; Simon Wolf of Washington, who braved the rain despite his eighty years to attend the meeting; Rabbi Judah L. Magnes, and Cyrus Sulzberger. Jacob Schiff wrote a congratulatory letter which was read, but he was prevented by a previous engagement from greeting the delegates in person.

Herbert Quick of Washington, D. C., a member of the National Farm Loan Board, explained the objects of that body, and C. S. Wilson, State Commissioner of Agriculture, lauded the Jews for their enterprise in going back to the soil.

The federation officer reported great progress in the work of the organization. Whereas in January, 1909, when the organization was formed, the federation only had thirteen affiliated bodies, no less than fifty-seven were represented at the convention yesterday. Mr. Marshall said:

"I predict that it will only be a short time before we have in America not thousands, but tens of thousands, of Jews who are farmers and are tilling the soil and helping to feed the people of the nation. In fact, it is one of the most encouraging symptoms of our modern Jewish life that Jews are returning to the soil, and are resuming the agrarian activities of centuries ago. I desire particularly to praise this federation for its success in its co-operative undertakings."

Mr. Wolf congratulated the farmers on the dignity of their calling, and predicted that when immigrants again began to arrive in the country, the Federation would receive continual accessions to its membership.

"The future is before you," he said. "I beg you to be honest, earnest, and real Americans. Follow your calling not alone for your own benefit, but in such manner that credit will fall also on all of your countrymen."

Rabbi Magnes told the farmers he had recently been impressed with the independence of tilling the soil by observing the condition of some of the Jewish war sufferers in Europe. Those who were farmers, he said, had not suffered as much as those who had been in trade, and he suggested that the wisest way for Jews in the United States to help rehabilitate their co-religionists in Europe, and especially Poland and Lithuania, was to furnish the means for returning them to the soil after the war.

He suggested, also, that one of the reasons more Jews did not go in for farming in the United States was the difficulty of preserving Jewish life and environment in the rural districts.

According to J. W. Pincus, Secretary of the federation, Nevada is the only State in the Union which has no Jewish farmers, due largely to the fact that Nevada is a mining State.

The federation reported having promoted many co-operative organizations among Jewish farmers since 1909, most of which, according to the reports, had succeeded. Among those mentioned were the Co-operative Fire Insurance Company in Sullivan and Ulster Counties, N. Y.; nineteen co-operative credit unions in New York, New Jersey, Connecticut, and Massachusetts; the First Farmers', Savings and Loan Association, the Jewish Farmers' Co-operative Creamery of Hurleyville, the Jewish Farmers' Co-operative Creamery of Ellenville, the Co-operative Pasteurizing Plant of New Lots, Brooklyn, the Co-operative Purchasing Bureau, and others.

Through the efforts of the federation, it was also said, disputes among the members of the federation are settled by arbitration, and clubs and social organizations have been formed for Jewish boys and girls on the farms.

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LOST—Certificate No. A706515, for 10 shares Canadian Pacific Railway common stock, issued in the name of Edward W. Connolly, and by him assigned to Mrs. M. E. Chisholm, has been lost in the mails between Truro and Halifax, Canada. Transfer of this certificate has been stopped with the transfer agents, the Bank of Montreal, New York, and the public are hereby notified not to negotiate said certificate.

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LOST—On 9th Av. express train, northbound, leaving 34th 6:07 P. M., Nov. 27, a tan leather wallet, containing a number of business letters, addressed to the undersigned; finder will secure adequate reward by returning to or notifying Egbert Moxham, 120 Broadway.

LOST—Please return to Mrs. Frederick Eckstein, 125 East 57th St., the black dress suitcase, containing wearing apparel, taken from the 9:17 morning train from Oyster Bay, Pennsylvania Station, Long Island platform, Nov. 27; $25 reward; no questions asked.

LOST—Sunday, Nov. 26, diamond bracelet and locket, with small key attached in the interior, platinum mounting, at morning service at Grace Church, downtown, or between church and 63d St., through 5th Av.; liberal reward. Cartier, 712 5th Av.

LOST—OCT. 27, DIAMOND BOWKNOT BROOCH, THE ONLY REMEMBRANCE OF MY FATHER; HANDSOME REWARD; NO QUESTIONS. CATHEDRAL 9513, APARTMENT 11.

LOST—Black handbag containing emerald, pearl, and diamond pendant; lost Grand Central Monday evening, Nov. 27; liberal reward; no questions asked. Robbins, 129 E. 62d. Lenox 2420.

LOST—Tan leather suit case, from train No. 6 platform, Grand Central, Nov. 24, marked with owner's name; reward if returned intact to Kenneth L. Allen, 1,900 Euclid Av., Cleveland.

LOST.—A diamond brooch, large crescent, last Saturday evening, near Hudson Theatre or Vanderbilt Hotel; liberal reward. Return to Apartment GI, 375 Park Av.

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LOST—Hudson seal muff, Saturday evening between Criterion Theatre and Savoy Hotel, probably in taxi; reward on return to Vanderbilt Hotel, Room 732.

LOST—Diamond platinum link bracelet. Liberal reward for its return to Mrs. J. H. Westheimer, 343-345 West 85th St. Evenings between 6 and 7.

LOST—Gold wrist watch, from 33d St. subway to Hoyt St., Abraham & Straus, or Flatbush Av. trolley; reward. 2,023 Albemarle Road, Brooklyn.

LOST—Taupe fox muff, between Gimbel's and 33d St. station on 6th Av. elevated, Monday, about 2 P. M. Mrs. Rixey, 202 West 107th St.

LOST—Cane; gold band near handle with owner's name engraved; light-colored wood; gold strip on handle; reward. Z 282 Times Annex.

LOST—Nov. 22, evening, diamond bar pin, between 53d and 29th; suitable reward. Return to G. A. Brown, 29 East 29th.

LOST—On 92d, between Park and 5th, radio wrist watch, with black strap; reward. Miss A. Jellinghaus, 1,161 Park Av.

LOST—Monday, Forty-fifth, near Madison, Persian lamb collar; return to 84 East Fifty-third; reward.

LOST—Sable fur neckpiece, Saturday night, in Rector's or taxicab; reward if returned. 1 West 50th St., Apartment 1.

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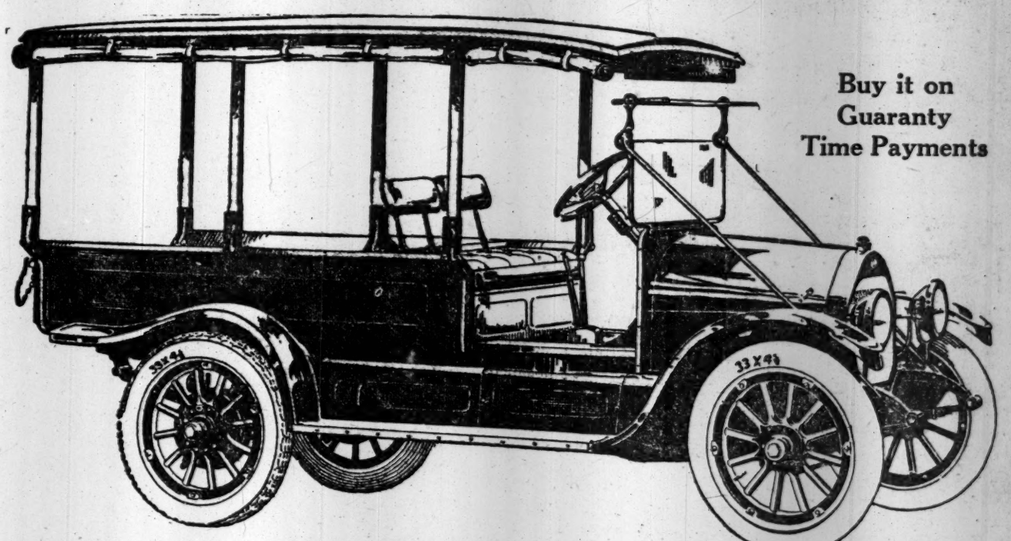

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